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Town of

HAMPSTEAD


New Hampshire



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FOR THE YEAR
ENDING, DECEMBER 31st.

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ANNUAL REPORT

of the

Selectmen, Treasurer Collector, Highway Agents and
Board of Education and Trustees of Public
Library, Trustees of Trust Funds

of the

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960

Together with the Vital Statistics for the Year 1960
as prepared by the Town Clerk

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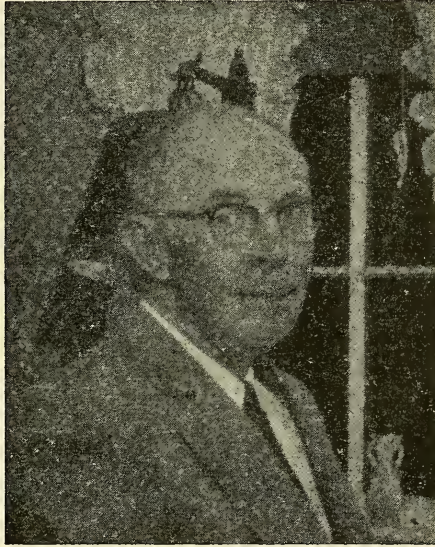


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Man of the Year 1960

ADIN E. LITTLE

The Little Family has been prominent in Hampstead activities for many, many years. Adin S. Little served as Selectman, Moderator, and Board of Education Member, as well as State Senator and Representative to the General Court, and it is only natural that his son, Adin E. Little, follow in his footsteps to carry on this great family tradition.

After graduation in 1918 from Hampstead High School Adin E. Little for 17 years worked in his father's store at the family homestead on Emerson Avenue where his mother, Fannie Little, still resides, then for the succeeding eight years Adin assumed full responsibility of the store. In 1943 he became affiliated with the Boston Beef Company where he remained until the store changed ownership a short time ago.

It was in these capacities that Adin won many friends among the townspeople and summer residents. His congenial

personality and good fellowship were qualities which contributed to his popularity and to the affection we all have for him. In all these years of serving the public, Adin, to our knowledge, has never made an enemy.

Adin joined Hampstead Grange at the age of sixteen and has retained his membership over the past forty-five years. He has been Secretary of the Jr. O.U.A.M. for several years and is a member of the Hampstead Congregational Church.

During the past thirty-eight years Adin has been our Town Treasurer and to him has been entrusted our town funds and records. This, being an elected office, is proof of our confidence in his honesty and integrity over this long period of time.

For his long tenure of office as a trusted public official:

For his active participation in our local organizations:

And for his service to our town as a merchant and
citizen:

We, the people of Hampstead, proclaim

ADIN E. LITTLE

Man of the Year 1960



TOWN OFFICERS 1960

Elected Biennially

MODERATOR

Laurence Cornwell

REPRESENTATIVE TO GENERAL COURT

Doris M. Spollett

SUPERVISORS

Stanley M. Lapham

Frank E. Howard

Warren H. Ells

Elected Annually

TOWN CLERK

Charles A. Brooks

SELECTMEN

Paul C. Gibbons, 1961

Doris M. Spollett, 1962

George L. Chase, 1963

TREASURER

Adin E. Little

HIGHWAY AGENT

Leslie George, Jr.

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Edwin T. Coombs

CHIEF OF POLICE

Kenneth H. Clark

AUDITORS

Stanley P. Johnson

Lincoln K. Drake

TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Esther J. Orcutt, 1961

Pearl Cornwell, 1962

Rev. Theodore B. Hadley, 1963

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

Kenneth H. Duston, 1961

William T. Clark, 1962

Glendon N. Emerson, 1963

TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES

Warren H. Ells, 1961

Thomas H. Root, 1962

Stanley P. Johnson, 1963

SEXTON OF CEMETERIES

L. Norris Webster

BUDGET COMMITTEE

Glendon N. Emerson, 1961

R. H. Johnston, 1961

Stanley P. Johnson, 1962

Gil A. Cate, 1962

Kenneth H. Duston, 1963

Warren H. Ells, 1963

BOARD OF EDUCATION

Horace Tarleton, 1961

Charles B. Clark, 1962

John Mirabito, 1963

Appointed by Selectmen

PLANNING BOARD

Lester Houston, 1961

Charles C. Martin, 1964

William J. Madden, Chm., 1962

Arnold L. Rivers, 1965

Allen F. Pomeroy, Sec., 1963

Herbert A. Johnson, 1965

George L. Chase, Ex-Officio

BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT

Lester W. Remick, Sec., 1961 R. Arthur Johnston, 1963
Alexander Curry, 1962 George L. Whitmore, 1965
Jack Chesleigh, 1965

HEALTH OFFICER

Raymond E. Moore, M.D.

DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

William J. Madden

BUILDING INSPECTOR

Russell Hall

NOTICES

INVENTORIES are mandatory. They must be filed with the Selectmen on or before April 1st. Forms are distributed with Town Reports. Please note that a description of the property which will enable the assessing officials to locate and identify each parcel is necessary. A phrase such as "Same as last year" or "no change" is not sufficient.

VETERANS should understand that it is **their responsibility** to request forms for tax exemption, and that these must be in the hands of the Selectmen by April 15th, if they are to receive consideration.

THE SELECTMEN will meet in their office on the first Saturday of each month at 7:30 P.M.

THE PLANNING BOARD — To eliminate undue delay in acting on requests by citizens for the services of the Planning Board, this Board will meet at the call of the Chairman.

Any citizens with business for Planning Board action may contact the Chairman or Secretary and a meeting will be called for consideration of the subject matter.

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hampstead in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Hampstead on Tuesday, the Fourteenth day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.

2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

| | |
|------------------------------------|-------------|
| General Government | \$7,450.00 |
| Protection of Persons and Property | 4,750.00 |
| Health | 1,640.00 |
| Highways and Bridges | 11,700.00 |
| Libraries | 1,400.00 |
| Public Welfare | 3,300.00 |
| Patriotic Purposes | 350.00 |
| Public Service Enterprises | 1,400.00 |
| Interest | 500.00 |
| County Tax | 7,500.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$39,990.00 |

3. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money for the use of the town in anticipation of taxes.

4. To hear reports of Auditors and Committees and to act thereon.

5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any Real Estate by public sale acquired by the town through Tax Collector's deeds.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed Twelve Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars (\$12,800.00) for a new Fire Truck. Payments to be extended over a period of five years. The truck to be purchased under the supervision of the Fire Engineers.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed One Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00) to paint the Town Hall.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed Three Hundred Dollars (\$300.00) to be used in conjunction with the Two Hundred Sixty-Five Dollars (\$265.00) received from the sale of the Town Tractor, to purchase a Salt Conveyer.

9. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed One Thousand Six Hundred Dollars (\$1,600.00) for the purpose of purchasing the Shoe-Shop property, so called, said property to be used for recreational purposes.

10. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) for the necessary layout and preparation of suitable roads in the West Hampstead Cemetery addition. Cemetery Trustees.

11. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) to improve and maintain the two (2) baseball diamonds located behind the town hall and high school area; with any surplus funds to be returned to the town upon the completion of the job. By request.

12. To see if the town will vote to accept State Aid Construction of Class V roads and raise and appropriate, or set aside for said purpose the sum of Two Hundred Thirty-Eight Dollars and Seventy-Five cents (\$238.75). State's share \$1,591.68.

13. To see if the town will vote to amend the Building and Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Hampstead as follows:

ARTICLE XII House Trailer and/or Mobile Home Regulations.

Section I Provisions for Temporary Locations

1. The Selectmen may issue to any property owner, or lessee, in Zone A only, as an accomodation, a permit to park no more than one house trailer or mobile home at any time, of a non-paying guest, for a period not to exceed 90 days in any one year. If it is to be used as living quarters, it must conform to the sanitary protection requirements of the State of New Hampshire and the Hampstead Board of Health.
2. The Selectmen may issue a 90-day permit for the temporary use of a house trailer or mobile home to be maintained as living quarters during construction work; or as an office, store room, or shop in connection with said construction work, provided that such use is shown to be for a temporary period and also that the use will conform with the sanitary protection requirements of the Hampstead Board of Health. Permit may be renewable.
3. Any violation will be subject to penalties as outlined in Article IX, Section II of the Building and Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Hampstead.

Section II Provisions for Permanent Locations.

1. Any house trailer or mobile home used as living quarters will be allowed in Zone A only, and it must conform to all building and zoning ordinances applicable to living quarters of a permanent nature, as set forth in the Building and Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Hampstead and the National Building Code. A building permit must be obtained from the Building Inspector.
2. Any violation will be subject to penalties as outlined in Article IX, Section II of the Building and Zoning Ordinance of the Town of Hampstead.

14. To see if the town will vote to amend the Building and Zoning Ordinance as follows:

To change Article II, Section XII to read:

A building lot in Zone "A" shall contain a minimum of 20,000 square feet, shall have a frontage on a street, and shall have a width of no less than 125 feet on the street side of the lot. A waterfront building lot in Zone "B" shall contain a minimum of 7,500 square feet, shall have a frontage on a street, and shall have a width of no less than 75 feet on the street side of the lot. A building lot in Zone "B" other than a waterfront lot shall contain a minimum of 9,000 square feet, shall have a frontage on a street, and shall have a width of no less than 90 feet on the street side of the lot. Lots shall be rectangular in shape if possible.

15. To see if the town will vote to accept the donation of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) made to the Town by the Cohen Foundation Camps, Inc.

16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) for the purpose of removing dead elms on town property.

Given under our hands and seal, this twentieth day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-one.

PAUL C. GIBBONS
DORIS M. SPOLLETT
GEORGE L. CHASE
Selectmen of Hampstead

A true copy of Warrant — Attest:

PAUL C. GIBBONS
DORIS M. SPOLLETT
GEORGE L. CHASE
Selectmen of Hampstead

The polls will be open to vote for Town Officers from 10 A.M. until 9 P.M. The appropriations for the money to be raised will be during the evening hours, beginning at 8 o'clock.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, N.H.

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1961 to December 31, 1961. Compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1960 to December 31, 1960.

| | Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1960 | Actual Revenue Previous Year 1960 | Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1961 |
|---|---|--|--|
| Sources of Revenue | | | |
| From State: | | | |
| Interest and Dividends Tax | \$1,000.00 | \$984.31 | \$975.00 |
| Savings Bank Tax | 75.00 | 51.90 | 50.00 |
| Reimbursement a/c Head Tax | | 14.23 | |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes: | | | |
| Dog Licenses | 400.00 | 468.10 | 450.00 |
| Business Licenses, Permits and Filing Fees | 25.00 | 67.05 | 25.00 |
| Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings | 65.00 | 61.50 | 50.00 |
| Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits | 60.00 | 68.00 | 60.00 |
| Income from Trust Funds | 1,250.00 | 1,498.85 | 1,350.00 |
| Income of Departments: | | | |
| (a) Highway, Concrete Pike | | 42.34 | |
| (b) Cemetery Lots | | 80.00 | |
| (c) Town Office Expense | | 26.61 | |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees | 8,000.00 | 9,453.64 | 10,500.00 |
| 1959 | 75.00 | 174.24 | 100.00 |
| * Cash Surplus | 3,239.23 | 3,930.05 | 3,930.05 |
| From Local Taxes Other Than | | | |
| Property Taxes: | | | |
| Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2 | 900.00 | 928.00 | 950.00 |
| Yield Taxes | 50.00 | 465.72 | 50.00 |
| Total Revenues from All Sources | | | |
| Except Property Taxes | \$15,139.23 | \$18,314.49 | \$18,490.05 |

16,454

| | |
|---|-------------------|
| ** Amt. to be Raised by Property Taxes | 137,448.24 |
|---|-------------------|

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|----------------|---------------------|
| Total Revenues | <u>\$155,938.29</u> |
|----------------|---------------------|

* Cash Surplus equals Excess of actual Cash on Hand at close of fiscal year over Current Liabilities, i.e., Balance of Appropriation due School District, Unexpended Balances of Special Appropriations, Outstanding Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes and Accounts Payable.

** Total estimated "Revenues from All sources except Property Taxes" deducted from Total estimated "Expenditures" should give estimated "Amount to be raised by Property Taxes."

| Purposes of Expenditures | Appropriations Previous Year 1960 | Actual Ex- penditures Previous Year 1960 | Est. Ex- penditures Ensuing Year 1961 |
|--|---|---|--|
| CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES | | | |
| General Government: | | | |
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$3,000.00 | \$3,188.09 | \$3,300.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses | 2,600.00 | 2,856.61 | 2,900.00 |
| Election and Registration Expenses | 700.00 | 679.44 | 250.00 |
| Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Buildings | 1,000.00 | 705.86 | 1,000.00 |
| Protection of Persons and Property: | | | |
| Police Department | 1,000.00 | 1,263.54 | 1,500.00 |
| Fire Department | 2,000.00 | 2,003.34 | 2,200.00 |
| Fire Department Special | 571.00 | 460.49 | |
| Moth Extermination— Blister Rust and Care of Trees | 360.00 | | 450.00 |
| Fire Dept.—Art. No. 6 | 300.00 | 300.00 | |
| Planning and Zoning | 100.00 | 40.75 | 100.00 |
| Damage by Dogs | | 19.88 | |
| Damages and Legal Expenses | 500.00 | 643.60 | 300.00 |
| Civil Defense | 200.00 | 28.64 | 200.00 |
| Health: | | | |
| Vital Statistics | 35.00 | 39.00 | 40.00 |
| Town Dump and Garbage Removal | 1,500.00 | 1,614.00 | 1,600.00 |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | |
| Town Maint.—Summer | 3,500.00 | 3,383.78 | 3,500.00 |
| Town Maint.—Winter | 5,200.00 | 4,696.04 | 5,200.00 |
| Street Lighting | 2,900.00 | 2,712.06 | 2,900.00 |
| General Expenses of Highway Department | 100.00 | 125.28 | 100.00 |
| Town Road Aid | 231.15 | 231.15 | Spec. Art. |

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|--------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Libraries: (Interest \$275.71) | 1,415.00 | 1,690.71 | 1,400.00 |
| Public Welfare: | | | |
| Town Poor | 1,000.00 | 463.91 | 800.00 |
| Old Age Assistance | 2,500.00 | 2,074.59 | 2,500.00 |
| Patriotic Purposes: | | | |
| Memorial Day and | | | |
| Veterans' Associations | 235.00 | 248.44 | 250.00 |
| Aid to Soldiers and | | | |
| Their Families | 100.00 | | 100.00 |
| Public Service Enterprises: | | | |
| Cemeteries | | | |
| (Interest \$494.23) | 1,350.00 | 1,775.16 | 1,400.00 |
| Interest: | | | |
| On Temporary Loans | 550.00 | 286.46 | 500.00 |
| Highways and Bridges: | | | |
| New Lands—Cemetery Art. 16 | 500.00 | 184.86 | |
| County Taxes | 7,000.00 | 6,900.97 | 7,500.00 |
| School Taxes | 90,504.17 | 90,504.17 | 115,948.29 |
| School Interest | | 728.91 | |
| TOTAL EXPENDITURES | \$130,951.32 | \$129,849.73 | \$155,938.29 |

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES
FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1960

| | Appropriations | Receipts & Reimbursements | Total Amount Available | Expenditures | Unexpended Balance | Overdraft |
|-----------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------|--------------------|-----------|
| Town Officers' Salaries | \$3,000.00 | | \$3,000.00 | \$3,188.09 | | \$188.09 |
| Town Officers' Expense | 2,600.00 | 26.00 | 2,626.00 | 2,856.61 | | 230.61 |
| Election and Registration | 700.00 | | 700.00 | 679.44 | 20.56 | |
| Town Hall | 1,000.00 | | 1,000.00 | 705.86 | 294.14 | |
| Police Department | 1,000.00 | | 1,000.00 | 1,263.54 | | 263.54 |
| Fire House—East Hampstead | 300.00 | | 300.00 | 300.00 | | |
| Fire Department | 2,000.00 | | 2,000.00 | 2,003.34 | | 3.34 |
| Fire Dept.—Spec. Art. No. 7 | 591.00 | | 591.00 | 460.49 | 130.15 | |
| Blister Rust | 360.00 | | 360.00 | | 360.00 | |
| Planning and Zoning | 100.00 | | 100.00 | 40.75 | 59.25 | |
| Civil Defense | 200.00 | | 200.00 | 28.64 | 171.36 | |
| Vital Statistics | 35.00 | | 35.00 | 39.00 | | 4.00 |
| T. R. A. | 231.15 | | 231.15 | 231.15 | | |
| Town Dump | 1,500.00 | | 1,500.00 | 1,614.00 | | 114.00 |
| Town Maintenance—Summer | | | | | 116.22 | |
| Town Maintenance—Winter | 5,200.00 | | 3,500.00 | 3,383.78 | | |
| Street Lighting | 3,008.00 | | 5,200.00 | 4,696.04 | 503.96 | |
| General Expense Highway | 100.00 | | 3,008.00 | 2,712.06 | 295.94 | |
| Libraries | 1,415.00 | Int. 275.71 | 100.00 | 125.28 | | 25.28 |
| | | | 1,690.71 | 1,690.71 | | |

| | | | | | |
|----------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| Old Age Assistance | 2,500.00 | 2,500.00 | 2,074.59 | 425.41 | |
| Town Poor | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | 463.91 | 536.09 | |
| Memorial Day | 235.00 | 235.00 | 248.44 | | 13.44 |
| Soldiers Aid | 100.00 | 100.00 | | 100.00 | |
| Cemeteries | 1,350.00 | Int. 494.23 | | | |
| | | Lots 80.00 | 1,800.16 | 124.07 | |
| Cemetery—Spec. Art. No. 16 | 500.00 | 500.00 | 159.86 | 340.14 | |
| Damage and Legal Expense | 500.00 | 500.00 | 663.48 | | 163.48 |
| Interest | 550.00 | 550.00 | 286.46 | 263.54 | |
| County Tax | 6,900.97 | 6,900.97 | 6,900.97 | | |
| | <u>\$40,476.12</u> | <u>\$875.94</u> | <u>\$41,352.06</u> | <u>\$3,741.19</u> | <u>\$1,005.78</u> |
| | | | Unexpended Balance | \$2,735.41 | |

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BALANCE SHEET

December 31, 1960

| Assets | | Liabilities | |
|---------------------------------------|--------------|---|-------------|
| Cash on Hand | \$.08 | Accounts Owed by the Town: | |
| In hands of treasurer, Bank Balance | 4,525.37 | Unexpended Balances of Special | |
| Unredeemed Taxes: | | Appropriations: | |
| (from tax sale on account of) | | Cemetery Spec. (Surveying— | |
| (b) Levy of 1959 | 525.15 | Wendell S. Winnfield) | \$45.00 |
| (c) Levy of 1958 | 449.38 | | |
| Uncollected Taxes: | | Due to State: | |
| (a) Levy of 1960 | 5,513.11 | (a) State Head Taxes—1960 | |
| (e) State Head Taxes—Levy of 1960 | 380.00 | (Uncollected \$380.00) (Collected — | |
| | | not remitted to State Treas. \$155.00) | |
| | | Penalties \$15.50 | 550.50 |
| Total Assets | \$11,393.09 | Total Liabilities | \$595.50 |
| Grand Total | \$11,393.09 | Excess of assets over liabilities (Surplus) | 10,797.59 |
| | | Grand Total | \$11,393.09 |
| Receipts | | Payments | |
| Current Revenue: | | General Government: | |
| From Local Taxes: | | Town officer's salaries | \$3,138.09 |
| (Collected and remitted to Treasurer) | | Town officer's expenses | 2,856.61 |
| Property Taxes | | Election and registration expenses | 679.44 |
| Current Year—1960 | \$110,657.67 | Expenses town hall and | |
| Poll Taxes | | other town buildings | 705.86 |
| Current Year—1960 | 928.00 | Protection of Persons and Property: | |
| Yield Taxes—1960 | 465.72 | Police department | 1,263.54 |
| State Head Taxes @ \$5—1960 | 3,020.00 | Fire dept., Art. 16 | 300.00 |
| | | Fire dept., Special Painting | 460.49 |
| Total Current Year's Taxes collected | | Fire department, including | |
| and remitted | | forest fires | 2,003.34 |
| Property Taxes and Yield Taxes— | | | |
| Previous Years | | | |
| Poll Taxes—Previous Years | | | |
| State Head Taxes @ \$5—Previous Years | | | |

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|--|--------------|--|-----------------------------------|--|----------|
| Interest received on Taxes | | | | | |
| Penalties on State Head Taxes | | | | | |
| 1959—\$32.00 | 1960—\$15.50 | | | | |
| Tax sales redeemed | | | | | |
| From State: | | | | | |
| Interest and dividends tax | | | | | |
| Savings Bank Tax and Building | | | | | |
| and Loan Association Tax | | | | | |
| Reimbursement a/c Head Tax | | | | | |
| Dog Licenses | | | | | |
| Business licenses, permits and filing fees | | | | | |
| Rent of town property | | | | | |
| Income from trust funds | | | | | |
| Income from departments | | | | | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, | | | | | |
| 1959 Permits | | | | | |
| Registration of motor vehicles, | | | | | |
| 1960, Permits | | | | | |
| | 305.35 | | Planning and Zoning | | 40.75 |
| | 47.50 | | Damage by dogs | | 19.88 |
| | 2,554.65 | | Civil Defense | | 28.64 |
| | | | Health: | | |
| | 984.31 | | Vital statistics | | 39.00 |
| | 51.90 | | Town dumps and | | |
| | 14.23 | | garbage removal | | 1,614.00 |
| | 468.10 | | Highways and Bridges: | | |
| | 67.00 | | Town Road Aid | | 231.15 |
| | 61.50 | | Town Maintenance | | |
| | 1,498.85 | | (Summer \$3,383.78) | | |
| | 148.34 | | (Winter \$4,696.04) | | 8,079.82 |
| | | | Street lighting | | 2,712.06 |
| | | | General Expenses of | | |
| | 174.24 | | Highway Department | | 125.28 |
| | 9,453.64 | | Libraries: | | |
| | | | Libraries (Interest \$275.71) | | 1,690.71 |
| | | | Public Welfare: | | |
| | | | Old age assistance | | 2,074.59 |
| | | | Town poor | | 463.91 |
| | | | Patriotic Purposes: | | |
| | | | Memorial Day and | | |
| | | | Veteran's Associations | | 248.44 |
| | | | Public Service Enterprises: | | |
| | | | Cemeteries | | 1,800.16 |
| | | | Cemeteries Art. 16 | | 159.86 |
| | | | Unclassified: | | |
| | | | Damages and legal expenses | | 643.60 |
| | | | Taxes bought by town | | 2,013.34 |
| | | | Discounts, Abatements and Refunds | | 76.68 |

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| Receipts (Continued) | Payments (Continued) |
|--------------------------------------|---|
| Receipts Other than Current Revenue: | |
| Temporary loans in anticipation | |
| of taxes during year | 286.46 |
| Refunds on Stove | |
| | |
| Total Receipts from All Sources | |
| Cash on hand January 1, 1960 | 25,000.00 |
| | <u>.61</u> |
| | \$160,895.59 |
| | <u>3,782.50</u> |
| Grand Total | \$164,678.09 |
| | |
| | Interest: |
| | Paid on temporary loans in |
| | anticipation of taxes |
| | |
| | Indebtedness: |
| | Payments on temporary loans |
| | in anticipation of taxes |
| | 25,000.00 |
| | |
| | Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: |
| | State Head Taxes paid State Treas. |
| | (1960 Taxes \$2,583.00) (Prior |
| | Years \$529.50) |
| | Payment to State a/c Yield Tax |
| | Debt Retirement |
| | Taxes paid to County |
| | Payments to School Districts |
| | 3,112.50 |
| | 100.39 |
| | 6,900.97 |
| | <u>91,233.08</u> |
| | |
| | Total Payments to Other |
| | Governmental Divisions |
| | Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1960 |
| | Bank Balance Dec. 31, 1960 |
| | 160,152.64 |
| | <u>.08</u> |
| | 4,525.37 |
| | <u>\$164,678.09</u> |
| | Grand Total |

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

| | |
|--|----------------|
| Land and Buildings | \$1,695,653.00 |
| Distributing Electric Current | 47,720.00 |
| House Trailers used as Dwellings | 3,600.00 |
| Stock in Trade | 8,039.00 |
| Boats and Launches (39) | 2,230.00 |
| Horses (36) | 5,030.00 |
| Cows (58) | 2,171.00 |
| Other Neat Stock (2) | 70.00 |
| Sheep and Goats (123) | 913.00 |
| Fowls (7,050) | 757.00 |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks (14) | 1,655.00 |
| Portable Mills | 400.00 |
| Wood, Lumber etc., (Not Stock in Trade) | 2,895.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$1,771,133.00 |
| Poll Taxes, 533 at \$2.00 | 1,066.00 |
| Property Taxes | 116,570.85 |
| | <hr/> |
| Total Amount of Taxes Committed to Collector | \$117,636.85 |
| Tax Rate \$7.10 | |
| Amount Exempted to Soldiers | \$129,290.00 |
| List of Appropriations 1960 | |
| Town Charges (Includes County Tax) | \$38,745.97 |
| East Hampstead Fire House | 300.00 |
| Hampstead Fire House—Painting | 571.00 |
| T.R.A. | 231.15 |
| West Hampstead Cemetery | 500.00 |
| Street Lights | 108.00 |
| School Tax | 90,504.17 |
| Overlay | 1,137.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$132,097.29 |

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| Description | Value |
|---|--------------------|
| Town Hall, Lands and Buildings | \$25,000.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 1,000.00 |
| Libraries, Lands and Buildings | 9,000.00 |
| Furniture and Equipment | 3,500.00 |
| Police Department Equipment | 600.00 |
| Fire Department, Lands and Buildings | 9,000.00 |
| Equipment | 7,000.00 |
| Highway Department, Lands and Buildings | 1,500.00 |
| Equipment | 3,000.00 |
| Materials and Supplies | 150.00 |
| Parks, Commons and Playgrounds | 700.00 |
| Selectmen's Office Building | 2,500.00 |
| Schools, Lands and Buildings | 59,500.00 |
| Equipment | 4,500.00 |
| All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds | 2,434.10 |
| Total | <hr/> \$129,384.10 |

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Your Board of Selectmen will present an oral summary of Town Affairs at the Town Meeting.

TOWN CLERK

| | | |
|-------------------|----------|------------|
| 1959 Auto Permits | \$174.24 | |
| 1960 Auto Permits | 9,453.64 | |
| | <hr/> | \$9,627.88 |

1959 — Dog Licenses

| | | |
|----------------------|----------|----------|
| 159 Males at \$2.00 | \$318.00 | |
| 15 Females at \$5.00 | 75.00 | |
| 4 Kennels at \$12.00 | 48.00 | |
| 1 Kennel at \$20.00 | 20.00 | |
| 13 Males at \$2.50 | 32.50 | |
| 2 Females at \$5.50 | 11.00 | |
| 3 Males at \$1.00 | 3.00 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | \$507.50 | |
| 197 at 20c | 39.40 | |
| | <hr/> | \$468.10 |

| | |
|------------------------------|---------|
| Bicycle Permits 76 at \$.50 | \$38.00 |
|------------------------------|---------|

Filing Fees

| | |
|-------------------|--------|
| 2 Representatives | \$4.00 |
| 1 Moderator | 1.00 |
| Supervisors | 2.00 |
| | <hr/> |

\$7.00

REPORT OF TAX COLLECTOR

SUMMARY OF WARRANT
FOR YEAR OF LEVY OF 1960

Dr.

Property, Poll and Yield Taxes:

Taxes Committed to Collector:

| | |
|----------------|--------------|
| Property Taxes | \$116,570.85 |
| Poll Taxes | 1,066.00 |

| | |
|---------------|--------------|
| TOTAL WARRANT | \$117,636.85 |
| Yield Taxes | 465.72 |

Added Taxes:

| | |
|--------------------|--------|
| Property Taxes | 373.11 |
| Poll Taxes (13) | 26.00 |
| Interest Collected | 11.09 |

| | |
|--------------|--------------|
| TOTAL DEBITS | \$118,512.77 |
|--------------|--------------|

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

| | |
|--------------------|--------------|
| Property Taxes | \$110,657.67 |
| Poll Taxes | 928.00 |
| Yield Taxes | 465.72 |
| Interest Collected | 11.09 |

Abatements:

| | |
|-----------------|--------|
| Property Taxes | 773.18 |
| Poll Taxes (20) | 40.00 |

Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

| | |
|-----------------|----------|
| Property Taxes | 5,513.11 |
| Poll Taxes (62) | 124.00 |

| | |
|---------------|--------------|
| TOTAL CREDITS | \$118,512.77 |
|---------------|--------------|

EDWIN T. COOMBS, Collector

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1st, 1960

| | | |
|-----------------|------------|------------|
| Property Taxes | \$4,447.35 | |
| Poll Taxes (41) | 82.00 | |
| Yield Taxes | 136.63 | |
| | <hr/> | \$4,665.98 |

Added Taxes:

| | | |
|---|---------|--|
| Poll Taxes (7) | \$14.00 | |
| Costs before Sale | 30.85 | |
| Costs at Sale | 61.25 | |
| Interested collected during fiscal year ending December 31, 1960 | 56.91 | |
| | <hr/> | |

TOTAL DEBITS \$4,828.99

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer during fiscal
year ending December 31, 1960

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Property Taxes | \$4,447.35 |
| Poll Taxes (45) | 90.00 |
| Yield Taxes | 136.63 |
| Interest collected during year | 56.91 |

Added Taxes:

| | |
|-------------------|-------|
| Costs before Sale | 30.85 |
| Costs at Tax Sale | 61.25 |

Abatements:

| | |
|----------------|------|
| Poll Taxes (3) | 6.00 |
|----------------|------|

TOTAL CREDITS \$4,828.99

EDWIN T. COOMBS, Collector

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

State Head Tax — Levy of 1960

Dr.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|
| Original Warrant | \$3,440.00 | |
| Added Taxes (13) | 65.00 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| Total Commitments | | \$3,505.00 |
| Penalties Collected (31) | | 15.50 |
| | | <hr/> |
| TOTAL DEBITS | | \$3,520.50 |

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer:

| | | |
|--|------------|------------|
| Head Taxes | \$3,020.00 | |
| Penalties | 15.50 | |
| | <hr/> | |
| | | \$3,035.50 |
| Abatements (21) | | 105.00 |
| Uncollected Head Taxes as per Collector's list (76) | | 380.00 |
| | | <hr/> |
| TOTAL CREDITS | | \$3,520.50 |

EDWIN T. COOMBS, Collector

SUMMARY OF WARRANT

State Head Tax — Levy of 1959

Dr.

Uncollected Head Taxes as of

| | |
|---|----------|
| January 1st, 1960 (59) | \$295.00 |
| Added Head Taxes during year (1960) (8) | 40.00 |
| Penalties collected during 1960 (64) | 32.00 |
| | <hr/> |

TOTAL DEBITS \$367.00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer during 1960

| | |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Head Taxes | \$320.00 |
| Penalties | 32.00 |
| Abatements made in 1960 (3) | 15.00 |

TOTAL CREDITS

\$367.00

EDWIN T. COOMBS, Collector

Summary of Tax Sales Accounts
as of December 31, 1960

Dr.

Tax Sales Accounts of Levies of:

| | 1959 | 1958 | 1957 |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|----------|
| Taxes sold to Town | | | |
| during current year | \$2,013.34 | | |
| Balance of unredeemed | | | |
| Taxes Jan. 1, 1960 | | \$1,168.94 | \$446.25 |
| Interest after Sale | 14.05 | 53.94 | 71.94 |
| Notice to Mortgagees | | | |
| (Redemption costs) | 3.99 | 1.33 | |
| TOTAL DEBITS | \$2,031.38 | \$1,224.21 | \$518.19 |

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer

| | | | |
|-------------------------------|------------|----------|----------|
| during year | \$1,453.64 | \$686.32 | \$414.69 |
| Deeded to Town | 34.55 | 33.24 | 31.56 |
| Interest and costs after Sale | 18.04 | 55.27 | 71.94 |
| Unredeemed at end | | | |
| of year (12/31/60) | \$525.15 | \$449.38 | |

TOTAL CREDITS

\$2,031.38 \$1,224.21 \$518.19

EDWIN T. COOMBS, Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

Year Ending December 31, 1960

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

State of New Hampshire:

| | |
|------------------------|---------|
| Savings Bank Tax | \$51.90 |
| Interest and Dividend | 984.31 |
| Reimbursement Head Tax | 14.23 |

Edwin T. Coombs, Collector:

| | |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| 1959 Property Tax | 4,447.35 |
| 1959 Poll Tax | 90.00 |
| 1959 Interest | 56.91 |
| 1959 Head Tax | 320.00 |
| 1959 Head Tax Penalties | 32.00 |
| 1959 Yield Tax | 136.63 |
| 1959 Redeemed Tax | 1,453.64 |
| 1959 Costs Before Sale | 30.85 |
| 1959 Costs at Sale | 61.25 |
| 1959 Interest and Costs after Sale | 14.05 |
| 1959 Notice to Mortgagee | 3.99 |
| 1957 Tax Sales Redeemed | 414.69 |
| 1957 Interest and Costs after Sale | 71.94 |
| 1958 Tax Sales Redeemed | 686.32 |
| 1958 Interest and Costs after Sale | 53.94 |
| 1958 Notice to Mortgagee | 1.33 |
| 1960 Property Tax | 110,657.67 |
| 1960 Poll Tax | 928.00 |
| 1960 Head Tax | 3,020.00 |
| 1960 Head Tax Penalties | 15.50 |
| 1960 Yield Tax | 465.72 |
| 1960 Interest | 11.09 |

Selectmen:

| | |
|-------------------|----------|
| 1959 Auto Permits | 174.24 |
| 1960 Auto Permits | 9,453.64 |
| Dog License | 468.10 |

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

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| | |
|--|--------------------------|
| Bicycle Permits | 38.00 |
| Pistol Permits | 22.00 |
| Filing Fees | 7.00 |
| Cemetery Lots Sold | 80.00 |
| Rent of Town Hall | 61.50 |
| Rebate: Town Maintenance—Concrete Pipe | 42.34 |
| Town Office Exp.—Stove Purchased | .61 |
| Town Office Exp.—Supplies | 6.00 |
| Town Office Exp.—Sale of Stove | 20.00 |
| First National Bank, Derry—Temporary Loan | 25,000.00 |
| Interest on Hampstead High School Funds | 728.91 |
| Interest on Cemetery Funds | 494.23 |
| Interest on Library Funds | 275.71 |
| | <hr/> |
| Bank Balance January 1, 1960 | \$160,895.59 3,782.50 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$164,678.09 |
| Selectmen's Vouchers Nos. 575-884 Incl. and No. 887 | 160,152.64 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4,525.45 |
| Bank Balance December 31, 1960 | \$4,525.37 |
| Cash on Hand December 31, 1960 | .08 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$4,525.45 |

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS — 1960

| | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| 1960 Property Tax | \$110,657.67 |
| 1960 Poll Tax | 928.00 |
| Property and Polls Previous Year | 4,537.35 |
| Tax Sales Redeemed | 2,554.65 |
| State of New Hampshire | 1,050.44 |
| Interest and Costs | 305.35 |
| Dog License | 468.10 |
| Business Licenses and Permits | 60.00 |
| Head Taxes and Penalties | 3,387.50 |

| | |
|-----------------------------|--------------|
| Rent of Town Hall | 61.50 |
| Interest Received | 1,498.85 |
| Registry of Motor Vehicles | 9,627.88 |
| Yield Taxes | 602.35 |
| Filing Fees | 7.00 |
| Reimbursement—Departments | 68.95 |
| Income—Departments—Cemetery | 80.00 |
| Temporary Loan | 25,000.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$160,895.59 |

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS — 1960

| | |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Town Officers Salaries | \$3,188.09 |
| Town Officers Expense | 2,856.61 |
| Election and Registration | 679.44 |
| Town Hall | 705.86 |
| Police Department | 1,263.54 |
| Fire House—East Hampstead | 300.00 |
| Fire Department | 2,463.83 |
| Planning and Zoning | 40.75 |
| Civil Defense | 28.64 |
| Vital Statistics | 39.00 |
| T.R.A. | 231.15 |
| Town Dump | 1,614.00 |
| Town Maintenance — | |
| Summer | 3,383.78 |
| Winter | 4,696.04 |
| Street Lighting | 2,712.06 |
| General Expense Highway | 125.28 |
| Libraries | 1,690.71 |
| Old Age Assistance | 2,074.59 |
| Town Poor | 463.91 |
| Memorial Day | 248.44 |
| Cemeteries | 1,960.02 |
| Damage and Legal Expense | 663.48 |
| Taxes Bought by Town | 2,013.34 |
| Discount, Abatements, Refunds | 76.68 |

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

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| | |
|-------------------------|--------------|
| Interest | 286.46 |
| Head Tax and Collecting | 3,112.50 |
| Temporary Loan | 25,000.00 |
| Retirement Tax | 100.39 |
| County Tax | 6,900.97 |
| School District | 91,233.08 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$160,152.64 |

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

| | |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Appropriation | \$3,000.00 |
| Payments: | |
| Doris M. Spollett, Selectman | \$350.00 |
| George L. Chase, Selectman | 350.00 |
| Paul C. Gibbons, Selectman | 350.00 |
| Charles A. Brooks, Town Clerk | 100.00 |
| Auto Permits | 499.00 |
| Bicycle Permits | 11.40 |
| Adin E. Little, Treasurer | 200.00 |
| Edwin T. Coombs, Tax Collector | 1,327.69 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$3,188.09 |
| | <hr/> |
| Overdraft | \$188.09 |

TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

| | |
|-----------------------------|------------|
| Appropriation | \$2,600.00 |
| Refund | 26.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2,626.00 |
| Payments: | |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | \$297.60 |

| | |
|--|--------|
| Edwin T. Coombs—Stamps, Reg. Deeds, Notify Mortgagee Tax Sale, Tax Meeting, Notices Delinquent Tax Payers, etc. | 126.95 |
| Lincoln K. Drake—Expense, Delivery Town Reports and Mileage | 13.98 |
| William G. Ewing—Del. Town Report, Assessors Meeting and Mileage | 47.06 |
| Gauron-Merrow Co.—Supplies, Town Clerk | 4.25 |
| Assoc. of N.H. Assessors—Dues | 3.00 |
| Richard S. Low, Auditor | 20.00 |
| Stanley P. Johnson—Auditor | 20.00 |
| Haverhill Gazette—Planning Board Hearing Notice | 10.13 |
| M. J. Clohisey & Co.—Repairs Typewriter | 34.50 |
| Lewis C. Darling—Stamps for Inventories | 25.00 |
| Lewis C. Darling—Stamps for Tax Collector | 32.00 |
| Lewis C. Darling—Stamped Envelopes, Treasurer | 24.20 |
| Lewis C. Darling, Stamps for Tax Collector | 8.00 |
| Boyd-James Press Inc.—Letterheads | 8.50 |
| Boyd-James Press Inc.—Town Reports | 806.00 |
| Boyd-James Press Inc.—Separate Amendment | 26.00 |
| Maurice I. Randall—Work. Comp. Premium, Add. L. | 35.07 |
| Maurice I. Randall—Work. Comp. and Employees Liability | 74.88 |
| N.H. Tax Collector's Assoc.—Dues | 3.00 |
| N.H. State Tax Comm.—Mobile Home Reports | 2.00 |
| Wheeler & Clark—Supplies, Town Clerk | 18.88 |
| Fred C. Fitch—Used Stove | 20.00 |
| Fred C. Fitch—Two Road Signs | 4.00 |
| Frank B. Nay—Names of Deceased | .70 |

| | |
|--|--------|
| Charles R. Hardy—Membership Town Clerk, City and Towns | 3.00 |
| Edmund Little Co.—Selectmen's Stamp | 2.20 |
| J. F. W. Dorman Co.—Bicycle Plates | 15.75 |
| Peter Foley—Raking and Mowing Lawn, etc. | 10.50 |
| Frank Watson—Raking and Mowing Lawn, etc. | 10.50 |
| Suburban Propane Gas Co.—Gas for Office | 26.00 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh Co.—Warrants and Payroll Sheets | 16.49 |
| Haverhill Gazette—Public Notice | 2.25 |
| State of N.H.—Laws, Taxation | 1.75 |
| Walter F. Clark—School Lawn | 25.75 |
| Treat Hardware Co.—New Flag | 11.79 |
| Bernice Little—Copying Head Tax | 13.76 |
| Curtis Insurance Agency—Surety Bonds | 162.80 |
| Brown & Saltmarsh Inc.—Tax Collector's Supplies | 23.48 |
| Edwin F. Bezanson—New Fence, Damaged by Plow | 53.30 |
| Sargent Brothers—Supplies, Tax Collector | 55.30 |
| Curtis Ins. Agency—Broad Form, Tax Collector | 50.00 |
| Sears Roebuck Co.—Portable Heater | 10.10 |
| Jessie M. Brooks—Copying Town Books | 32.25 |
| Francis McGovern—Repairs to Fixture | 10.63 |
| John W. A. Green—Copying Transfers | 49.80 |
| United States Pencil Co.—Supplies | 18.55 |
| Adin E. Little—Receipt Book, Envelopes and Expense | 4.75 |
| Gauron-Merrow Co. Inc.—Repairs to Adding Machine | 12.00 |
| Bernice T. Little—Bookkeeping | 300.00 |
| Frank C. Howard—Removing Stump at High School | 45.40 |

| | | |
|---|-------|------------|
| Sargent Bros.—Envelopes, Tax Collector | 6.55 | |
| John W. A. Green—Recording Deeds | 2.50 | |
| Charles A. Brooks—Expense and Supplies | 82.21 | |
| George L. Chase, Assessors Meeting, Perambulating T. Lines, Tel. Calls and with Tax Comm. | 46.55 | |
| Doris M. Spollett—Assessors Meeting and Perambulating T. Lines | 35.00 | |
| Paul C. Gibbons—Perambulating T. Lines and Expense | 50.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$2,856.61 |
| | | <hr/> |
| Overdraft | | \$230.61 |

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

| | |
|---------------|----------|
| Appropriation | \$700.00 |
|---------------|----------|

Payments:

| | |
|---|---------|
| Rush-A-Service—Ballots | \$36.70 |
| Richard Orcutt, Treas.— Dinners & Suppers 3/14 | 46.66 |
| Record Publishing Co.—Check Lists | 85.00 |
| Edson C. Eastman Co.—Tally Sheets | 4.08 |
| Hurley Cross—Ballot Clerk | 8.00 |
| Elsie Carideo—Ballot Clerk | 24.00 |
| Mary Clark—Ballot Clerk | 24.00 |
| Stanley P. Johnson—Ballot Clerk | 24.00 |
| Dana Stratton—Ballot Clerk | 3.00 |
| Bernadine Beaudoin—Ballot Clerk | 16.00 |
| Lawrence Cornwell—Moderator | 28.00 |
| Lincoln K. Drake—Moderator | 16.00 |
| Theodore B. Hadley—Clerk | 5.00 |
| Russell Hall—Clerk | 11.00 |
| Elizabeth Currier—Clerk | 5.00 |
| William Clark—Clerk | 3.00 |

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

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| | | |
|---|-------|----------|
| Alice Ells—Clerk | 5.00 | |
| Ada Widman—Clerk | 5.00 | |
| Eugene Getchell—Clerk | 5.00 | |
| Louise Putnam—Clerk | 11.00 | |
| William Putnam—Clerk | 6.00 | |
| William Ewing—Clerk | 6.00 | |
| Mary Graham—Clerk | 8.00 | |
| Frank E. Howard—Supervisor | 63.00 | |
| Kenneth H. Duston—Supervisor | 63.00 | |
| Warren H. Ells—Supervisor | 57.00 | |
| Alfred H. Brickett—Supervisor | 18.00 | |
| Green Acres—Lunches and Dinners 9/13 and 11/13 | 93.00 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$679.44 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$20.56 |

TOWN HALL

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Appropriation | | \$1,000.00 |
| Payments: | | |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | \$216.38 | |
| Charles Estabrook—Janitor | 200.00 | |
| Charles Estabrook—Storing Wood | 9.00 | |
| Haverhill Hardware Co.—Supplies | 2.34 | |
| Letoile Roofing Co.—Repair Leak | 12.50 | |
| Leslie George, Jr.—Wood and slabs | 39.00 | |
| Levi E. Duston—Wood | 22.00 | |
| Smith's Fire Equipment—Equipment | 14.00 | |
| Curtis Ins. Agency—Liability and Fire | 190.64 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$705.86 |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$294.14 |

REPORT OF THE FIRE ENGINEERS

In the past year we have had nine fire calls; two woods and grass fires, six minor miscellaneous fires and three major building fires.

The major fires were as follows: the home of Mary Bernard, the old shoe factory and the barn at Picards farm.

Once again we thank the residents of Hampstead for the caution used in building outside fires. Our grass and woods fire record for the past two years is one of the best in our state.

We had one out-of-town fire which was the Shaw residence, East Road, Atkinson.

For the year 1960, I have issued twenty-eight oil burner permits.

At this time I would like to thank everyone who has helped me while I have been fire chief and hope you will give the same support to our new fire chief.

GENE T. DUSTON,
Chief of Board of Engineers

FIRE DEPARTMENT

| | |
|--|------------|
| Appropriation | \$2,000.00 |
| Payments: | |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | \$141.90 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co. | 215.60 |
| Kenneth H. Duston—Fuel | 387.38 |
| Howard's Garage—Repairs, Gas and Battery | 112.44 |
| Maurice I. Randall—Insurance on East Hampstead Fire House | 20.00 |
| Gene Duston—Salary and Expense— Chief | 100.00 |
| Brackett's Garage | 39.75 |
| Lewis C. Darling—Gas and Supplies | 21.83 |
| Curtis Ins. Agency—Liability—4 Trucks | 332.00 |

| | |
|--|------------|
| Curtis Ins. Agency—Fire and Theft— | |
| 4 Trucks | 14.19 |
| D. J. Casey Paper Co.—Stationery | 8.00 |
| Goldies Sales & Service—Gas and Oil | 5.41 |
| Gates Garage—Gas and Oil | 19.80 |
| Gates Garage—Repairs | 23.89 |
| Smith's Fire Equipment—Supplies | 426.00 |
| Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co.—Accident Policy | 133.75 |
| Kinney's Garage—Gas | 1.40 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$2,003.34 |
| Overdraft | <hr/> |
| | \$3.34 |

FIRE DEPARTMENT
(Special Article No. 6)

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation | \$300.00 |
| Payments: | |
| Frank E. Howard—Payment on | |
| East Hampstead Fire House | \$300.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$300.00 |

FIRE DEPARTMENT
(Special—Painting)

| | |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation | \$571.00 |
| Payments: | |
| Charles A. Brooks—Paint | \$62.48 |
| Mark DeRoche—Painting | 69.00 |
| Fred O. Bailey—Painting | 14.00 |
| Taylor-Goodwin—Windows | 283.20 |
| Auclair Trans. Co.—Freight | 2.81 |
| Guarduan Industrial Products—Paint | 29.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$460.49 |
| Balance | <hr/> |
| | \$110.51 |

PREVENTION IS YOUR BUSINESS

Carelessness, HUMAN CARELESSNESS, causes 9 out of 10 forest fires. Each year 200,000 fires burn over 30 million acres in the United States. This represents 5 percent of our nation's woodlands being wasted each year. Every fire takes its toll. Floods follow; stream flow is affected; timber, buildings, grazing and wildlife are destroyed — all because MANY are CARELESS with fire in and near woodland. This can be remedied. YOU can put an end to this shameful waste! PREVENTION is YOUR business!

YOU, whether YOU be a farmer, homemaker, business or professional man or woman, municipal, state or federal official, clerk or woodsman, can play an important part in the continuing and vital prevention program.

First — by setting a good example YOURSELF — being sensible and complying with the necessary laws and regulations governing the use of fire in and near woodlands.

Second — by using YOUR individual influence in your community and valued council with others in insisting and encouraging them to do likewise.

The following simple rules may be used as a guide both for YOU and for them.

1. Before burning, secure a permit from your local forest fire warden — the law requires it.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning — don't leave it.
3. Make certain your fire, camp or debris, is DEAD OUT before leaving it.
4. Don't throw down lighted matches, cigars and cigarettes or from moving vehicles — make sure they are out — use your ash tray.
5. Don't burn at home — use your town dump and save yourself much possible difficulty, both personal and financial.

Number of local fires — no forest fires.

Number of acres burned — none.

Number of permits issued — 36.

MERTON A. WEBBER,

District Chief

LEVI E. DUSTON,

Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

To submit the annual report of the Police Department is an occasion which brings about much pleasure. It is a document which makes it possible to enlighten the residents of the Town of Hampstead as to the past duties of the department and it's future goals.

Recognition and thanks goes to the members of the department for their excellent cooperation. A word of praise also goes to the wives of these officers. Many summer afternoons, when families are enjoying summer activities, they remain at home while their officer husbands patrol an ever increasing flow of traffic.

Records of the year 1960 indicate a number in excess of 300 calls received by the department. Two cases of breaking, entry and larceny were solved with the recovery of material valued in excess of four hundred dollars. Records indicate seven court cases resulting in court appearances of the officers.

The Police Department with the financial support of the Civic Club sponsored a long-to-be remembered Hallowe'en Party for the town's younger citizens. One hundred seventy-five attended after school and approximately one hundred attended during the evening. Much satisfaction and pleasure is gained by the members of the department in these undertakings.

Sadness and sympathy is extended to the families of the two teen-agers who lost their lives in an auto accident in July on the West Road. It is hard to ascertain God's reasoning but we can only assume that He had a better role in Heaven for them. This fact never-the-less offers little consolation to those who suffer such a tremendous loss.

Much new equipment has been procured by the department. Each officer has complete uniforms including regulation yellow rain coats and hats. Several lights have been purchased and one new .357 Magnum revolver has been added to the list of firearms.

Appreciation goes to the town inhabitants for their co-operation in making our duty as easy as possible. Time brings about situations that are distasteful to the department as well as certain individuals. Fulfillment of our obligations to the town is our only wish. Reassurance is expressed to you of our ever present willingness to assist in any situation which warrants.

Respectfully,

KENNETH H. CLARK,
Chief of Police

POLICE DEPARTMENT

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|---|----------------|
| Appropriation | \$1,000.00 |
| Payments: | |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | \$72.56 |
| Atkinson Lumber Co.—Supplies | 7.95 |
| H. E. Tuck & Son—Supplies | 22.05 |
| Blackington Supplies Co.—Supplies | 5.50 |
| Boyd-James—Letterheads | 8.50 |
| Ed Marceau—Supplies | 11.01 |
| Haverhill Rubber Co.—Rain Coats and Cap Covers | 117.25 |
| Pentucket Press—Warning Slips | 15.00 |
| Kenneth Clark—Police Work | 433.71 |
| Lawrence Cornwell | 165.00 |
| James Mirabito | 113.75 |
| Glenwood Ard | 25.00 |
| Russell Hall | 20.00 |
| George Whitmore | 9.38 |
| William Madden | 18.75 |
| William MacLeod | 90.00 |
| William Letoile, Jr. | 98.13 |
| William Woodman | 30.00 |
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| | \$1,263.54 |
| Overdraft | <hr/> \$263.54 |

VITAL STATISTICS

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|-------------------|---------|--------------|
| Appropriation | | \$35.00 |
| Payments: | | |
| Charles A. Brooks | \$39.00 | |
| | <hr/> | \$39.00 |
| Overdraft | | <hr/> \$4.00 |

DAMAGE AND LEGAL EXPENSE

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|-------------------------------------|--------|----------------|
| Appropriation | | \$500.00 |
| Payments: | | |
| Russell Hall—Destroying Dog | \$2.00 | |
| Kenneth Clark—Destroy and Bury Dogs | 12.00 | |
| William Letoile, Jr.—Destroying Dog | 2.00 | |
| Charles A. Brooks—Dog Notices | 2.26 | |
| Wheeler & Clark—Supplies | 1.62 | |
| | <hr/> | \$19.88 |
| Perkins & Holland—Legal Expense | 505.56 | |
| Perkins & Holland—Legal Expense | 138.04 | |
| | <hr/> | \$663.48 |
| Overdraft | | <hr/> \$163.48 |

CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT

On Tuesday, May 3, 1960, a nation-wide exercise of defense installations was held.

The alert came through at 2:10 P.M. and was handled in excellent manner by the personnel of the Red Net Work. All Clear Signal was given at 3:23 P.M. The alert signal was sounded by the Fire House siren and a number of the Civil Defense officers reported in person.

The Police Department placed men on the various roads and stopped all traffic. Request to take-cover was cheerfully

obeyed by those who were stopped. The school cooperated by holding a take-cover test in the basement of the Central School building.

During Hurricane Donna, the Police Department and your Civil Defense personnel again cooperated. They patrolled the various roads in the Town and had two calls notifying us that large branches had fallen from trees in West Hampstead and East Hampstead and were impeding traffic.

The Town Highway Department drew the large branches to the side of the road, thereby opening the roads for normal traffic. Later we were advised that another large branch had been down on Kent Farm Road. This was all of the known damage resulting from the storm.

On December 7, 1960 (Pearl Harbor Day), another test was held, in which the public was not asked to participate. The alert was received by the Red Net Work at 9:16 A.M. and transferred to the Director, at the Fire House. The All Clear Signal (the only signal for this test) was sounded on the siren. It consisted of 5 thirty-second blasts, a wait of two minutes, and then another 5 thirty-second blasts. A number of the Fire Department members responded, although this was not required, for this test.

On the evening of December 6, 1960, a news article advising about the test was printed in the Haverhill Gazette and the Haverhill Journal.

During the year, various Civil Defense pamphlets were distributed, among which were: "Fire Fighting for Householders," and "First Aid Bulletin."

Your Director is proud of the genuine interest displayed by the Civil Defense Personnel and their eagerness to cooperate wholeheartedly.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. MADDEN

CIVIL DEFENSE

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| Appropriations | | \$200.00 |
| Payments: | | |
| Treas., State of N.H.—Rope and Supplies | \$4.34 | |
| Burns Automotive Parts Inc.— | | |
| Light and Lens | 24.30 | |
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| | | \$28.64 |
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| Balance | | \$171.36 |

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

The Planning Board again was active during 1960 and is now holding regular monthly meetings on the first Monday of each month. The public is invited to attend.

Home building in the Town is progressing at a moderate pace. New subdivisions have been opened in East Hampstead, Island Pond, and on Route 111.

A public hearing was held on Thursday, Dec. 1, 1960 in the Town Hall, for the purpose of acquainting everyone with proposed trailer and mobile home regulations. Your Planning Board has incorporated the general recommendations suggested by those present. They are printed in the 1960 Town Warrant for your action.

With the assistance of the State Planning Commission, we have had a limited number of copies of the Building and Zoning Ordinance and Land Subdivision Regulations, printed. The cost to the Town for this work was exceedingly reasonable. These booklets are for the use of builders and/or land subdividers.

Each member of the Planning Board has given unstintingly of his time and efforts, and all have been happy to be in the Town's service.

The Board also appreciates the advice and counsel given by our ex-officio member, Selectman George L. Chase.

The many visitors to our meetings throughout the year showed keen interest in the Board's undertakings.

We trust that during the coming year your attendance at our meetings will increase.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM J. MADDEN,
Chairman

PLANNING AND ZONING

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|------------------------------------|----------|
| Appropriations | \$100.00 |
| Payments: | |
| C. M. Rice Paper Co.—Reprinting | |
| Building and Zoning Ordinance | \$29.05 |
| Evans Printing Co.—Ordinance Cover | 1.70 |
| N. H. Planning and Zoning— | |
| Membership Association | 10.00 |
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| | \$40.75 |
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| Balance | \$59.25 |

REPORT OF BUILDING INSPECTOR

Building Permits Issued in 1960:

| | Est. Value |
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| Feb. 16 — Dean C. Howard — House, Lot No. 13, Old Forge Rd. | \$10,000.00 |
| Mar. 1 — Southwick Const. Co., Inc., Lumber Storage Building and Garage | 10,000.00 |
| Mar. 1 — Indianhead Building Supply Co., Inc. | 10,000.00 |
| Mar. 1 — Indianhead Building Supply Co., Inc., 5 stores, Main St. | 20,000.00 |
| Mar. 3 — Ralph R. Pickard, Pole Barn | 8,000.00 |
| Mar. 8 — Gladys Gibbons, House, Main St. | 10,000.00 |
| Mar. 19 — Wendell B. Wyatt, House, Lot No. 21, East Hampstead | 10,000.00 |

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| Mar. | 19 | — Wendell B. Wyatt, House, Lot No. 2, East Hampstead | 9,000.00 |
| Mar. | 19 | — Wendell B. Wyatt, House, Lot No. 4, East Hampstead | 9,000.00 |
| Apr. | 9 | — Gerard E. Levesque, House, East Rd. | 9,000.00 |
| Apr. | 9 | — Lawrence C. Cornwell, Garage, Main St. | 1,500.00 |
| Apr. | 18 | — F. Lovering, Breezeway, East Hampstead | 500.00 |
| Apr. | 25 | — Peter Belgfors, Garage, Shop Rd. | 500.00 |
| Apr. | 25 | — Frances M. Watson, House, Old Forge Rd. | 10,000.00 |
| May | 1 | — Howard R. Bailey, House, West Rd. ... | 10,000.00 |
| May | 14 | — Frank J. Reardon, Tool Shed, West Shore Drive | 150.00 |
| May | 14 | — E. A. Walker, Addition on Camp, Timber Lane | 500.00 |
| May | 21 | — Jack Bronski, Garage and Breezeway, Shop Rd. | 700.00 |
| May | 21 | — Earle Granger, Camp, Thomas Drive | 1,500.00 |
| May | 31 | — Lester Houston, School House, Main St. | 1,200.00 |
| June | 2 | — C. A. Nadeau, House, Birchwood Ave. | 8,500.00 |
| June | 25 | — Glendon Emerson, Greenhouse, East Hampstead Rd. | 100.00 |
| June | 25 | — Glendon Emerson, Commercial Bldg., East Hampstead | 1,000.00 |
| June | 28 | — George Harvey, Tool House, West Hampstead | 200.00 |
| July | 3 | — A. Campbell, Addition on House, West Rd. | 1,250.00 |
| July | 5 | — Curtis L. Albee, House, Old Forge Rd. | 10,000.00 |
| July | 5 | — Dean C. Howard, House, Old Forge Rd. | 10,000.00 |
| July | 26 | — New England Telephone Co., Addition on Bldg., Main St. | 6,000.00 |

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| Aug. 12 — Joseph Lemire, House, Stage Rd. | 6,500.00 |
| Aug. 31 — William Komenda, Barn, Main St. | 250.00 |
| Sept. 6 — Bentman A. Russell, Tool House, Wakefield Drive | 200.00 |
| Sept. 7 — Herbert Harriman, Barn, East Rd. | 600.00 |
| Sept. 7 — Charlotte Metcalf, Addition on House, West Hampstead | 300.00 |
| Oct. 8 — Chester G. Acres, Addition on House, East Hampstead | 1,200.00 |
| Oct. 8 — Sidney Lipman, Garage, Timber Lane | 1,500.00 |
| Oct. 9 — Dean C. Howard, Houses, Bonnie Acres | 10,000.00 |
| Oct. 9 — Dean C. Howard, House, Bonnie Acres | 10,000.00 |
| Oct. 9 — Dean C. Howard, House, Bonnie Acres | 10,000.00 |
| Oct. 9 — Dean C. Howard, House, Bonnie Acres | 10,000.00 |
| Oct. 9 — Dean C. Howard, House, Bonnie Acres | 14,000.00 |
| Nov. 11 — Mathew Currier, Shed, East Rd. | 100.00 |
| Dec. 5 — Ralph Rooney, Sr. House, Route 111 .. | 8,000.00 |
| Dec. 26 — Ralph Watson, House, East Hampstead | 8,000.00 |

TOTAL

\$249,250.00

HEALTH DEPARTMENT — TOWN DUMP

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| Appropriation | \$1,000.00 |
| Payments: | |
| Jay Graham—Care at dump | \$250.00 |
| Clarence Merrick—Care at dump | 900.00 |
| Fred C. Fitch—2 signs | 4.00 |
| Southwick Constr. Co.—Bulldozing | 288.00 |
| Southwick Constr. Co.—32 loads Gravel | 172.00 |
| | <u>\$1,614.00</u> |
| Overdraft | <u>\$614.00</u> |

SUMMER ROADS

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| Appropriation | \$3,500.00 |
| Rebate | 42.34 |

 \$3,542.34

Payments:

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| Merrimack Pav'g. Corp—Cold Patch | \$259.69 |
| Hume Pipe of N.E., Inc.—Concrete Pipe | 42.34 |
| Trimount Bituminous Prod. Co.—Asphalt | 579.96 |
| Burton French—253 yds. Sand | 37.95 |
| Leslie George, Jr.—Cold patching, loading sand, hauling gravel, tractor mowing, labor etc. | 919.65 |
| Norris Webster—Labor | 125.03 |
| Daniel George | 156.29 |
| Carroll Coombs | 67.83 |
| Albert Warren | 264.00 |
| Leslie George | 26.60 |
| Stanley Johnson—Labor and Gravel | 124.00 |
| Frank C. Howard | 330.35 |
| Walter Weeks | 36.90 |
| Warren Roberts | 127.05 |
| Chester Ray | 202.25 |
| Everett Holmes | 57.40 |
| Glendon Emerson—Labor Tractor House | 3.99 |
| William Little—150 yds. Sand | 22.50 |

 \$3,383.78

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| Balance | \$158.56 |
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WINTER ROADS

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| Appropriation | \$5,200.00 |
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Payments:

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| International Salt So.—Salt | \$976.50 |
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| Alfred A. Collette—Lumber for | |
| Salt Platform | 30.40 |
| Lees Welding Service—Repair Snow Plow | 23.00 |
| R. C. Hazeltine Co., Inc.—Snowplow | |
| Supplies and Repairs | 417.99 |
| Leslie George, Jr.—Salting, Sanding, | |
| Plowing and Truck | 2,499.33 |
| Carroll Coombs—Labor | 244.74 |
| Norris Webster | 228.76 |
| Daniel George | 250.06 |
| Stanley Johnson | 4.60 |
| Frank C. Howard | 4.70 |
| Leslie George, Sr. | 7.98 |
| Lester Merrick | 7.98 |
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| | \$4,696.04 |
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| Balance | \$503.96 |

STREET LIGHTING

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| Appropriations | \$3,008.00 |
| Payments: | |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | \$2,712.06 |
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| | \$2,712.06 |
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| Balance | \$295.94 |

GENERAL EXPENSE HIGHWAY

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|----------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation | \$100.00 |
| Payments: | |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | \$24.02 |
| Glendon Emerson—Plowing | 75.00 |

Maurice I. Randall—Ext. Coverage—

Store House 17.00

R. C. Hazelton Co.—Supplies 9.26

 \$125.28

Overdraft

 \$25.28

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

Appropriation \$2,500.00

Payments:

Treas. State of New Hampshire \$2,074.59

 \$2,074.59

Balance

 \$425.41

TOWN WELFARE

Appropriation \$1,000.00

Payments:

The Little Store in the Pines—

Clothing \$11.90

Maurice I. Randall—Insurance 8.50

Marvel Drug Co.—Medicine 21.65

Drs. Lavner and Stull—X-ray 15.00

R. G. Banister—Dental Services 7.00

Gates General Store—Groceries 64.05

Kenneth H. Clark—Custodian of

minor child 135.00

Kenneth H. Duston—Oil 20.74

George L. Chase—Trip to

Exeter and Portsmouth 10.00

Chester A. Lund—Custodian of

minor child 150.00

Ralph A. Pickard—Milk 20.07

 \$463.91

Balance

 \$536.09

SOLDIERS AID

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| Appropriation | \$100.00 |
| Payments:—None | |
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| Balance | \$100.00 |

MEMORIAL AND PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

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| Appropriation | \$235.00 |
| Additional | 13.44 |
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| | \$248.44 |
| Payments: | |
| Felt Crafters | \$28.44 |
| Brickett Greenhouses | 14.00 |
| Jerry Goodrich Band | 175.00 |
| Wreaths | 4.00 |
| Rev. Theodore B. Hadley | 15.00 |
| American Legion—Plaistow | 12.00 |
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| | \$248.44 |

PUBLIC LIBRARY

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|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Appropriation | \$1,415.00 |
| Interest | 275.71 |
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| | \$1,690.71 |
| Payments: | |
| Rev. Theodore B. Hadley, Trustee— | |
| Appropriation | \$1,415.00 |
| Interest | 275.71 |
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| | \$1,690.71 |
| Balance | None |

CEMETERIES

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|---------------|------------|
| Appropriation | \$1,350.00 |
| Interest | 494.23 |
| Lots Sold | 80.00 |

\$1,924.23

Payments:

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| Maurice I. Randall—Ins.—Equipment | \$10.00 |
| Merrimack Farmers—Turf | 2.30 |
| Sears-Roebuck—Mower | 72.99 |
| Sears-Roebuck—Parts for Mower | 17.30 |
| Granz Mower Service | 4.00 |
| Evinrude Motor Sales & Service— | |
| Electric Grass Shear | 49.50 |
| Leslie George—Loam | 15.00 |
| Aubuchon Hardware | 1.47 |
| Alfred Collette | 1.30 |
| Norris Webster—Reset Monument | 5.00 |
| Leslie George, Jr.—Removal Wall and | |
| Load Gravel | 14.25 |
| Norris Webster—Use of Truck | 85.50 |
| Norris Webster—Loam | 3.00 |
| Norris Webster—Use of Truck and | |
| Repairs to Mower | 25.64 |
| Cash Labor (N. Webster) | 1.00 |
| Lakeview—Labor | 722.29 |
| Hadley | 67.84 |
| Old Cemetery | 350.46 |
| West Hampstead | 172.90 |
| Hampstead Handle | 18.63 |
| Pineridge | 59.85 |
| East Road | 15.96 |
| Plaistow Road | 21.28 |
| Don's Market—Gas and Oil | 37.70 |

\$1,775.16

Balance

\$149.07

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CEMETERY
Special Article No. 16

| | | |
|------------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Appropriation | | \$500.00 |
| Payments: | | |
| Wendell S. Winfield—Surveying— | | |
| West Hampstead | \$25.00 | |
| David Morris—Fence, Posts and Gate | 113.93 | |
| Stanley Johnson—Labor | 45.93 | |
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| | | \$184.86 |
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| Balance | | \$315.14 |

BLISTER RUST

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| Appropriation | | \$360.00 |
| Payments: None | | <hr/> |
| Balance | | \$360.00 |

TEMPORARY LOAN

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| Payments: | | |
| First National Bank—Derry | | \$25,000.00 |

INTEREST

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| Appropriation | | \$550.00 |
| First National Bank—Derry | \$286.46 | |
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| | | \$286.46 |
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| Balance | | \$263.54 |

T. R. A.

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|------------------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriation | | \$231.15 |
| Payments: | | |
| State of New Hampshire | \$231.15 | |
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| | | \$231.15 |
| Balance | | None |

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

HEAD TAX

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| Paid—Treas. State of New Hampshire | \$3,112.50 |
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BOND AND DEBT RETIREMENT TAX

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| Paid—Treas. State of New Hampshire | \$100.39 |
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REFUNDS AND ABATEMENTS

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|--------------------------|---------|
| Karl Wuerker—On 1959 Tax | \$48.28 |
| Raymond A. Lamb—Rebate | 28.40 |
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| | \$76.68 |

COUNTY TAX

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| Appropriation | \$6,900.97 |
| Payments: | |
| Winthrop H. Lothrop, Treasurer | \$6,900.96 |
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| | \$6,900.96 |
| Balance | <hr/> None |

TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

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|---------------------------------|------------|
| Paid—Edwin T. Coombs, Collector | \$2,013.34 |
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SCHOOL DISTRICT

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| Appropriation | \$90,504.17 |
| Interest | 728.91 |
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| | \$91,233.08 |
| Payments: | |
| Abbie E. Randall, Treasurer | \$91,233.08 |
| Balance | None |
| Total Payments | \$160,152.64 |
| (Selectmen's Vouchers #575-884 Inclusive and #887) | |

AUDITORS' REPORT

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of Selectmen, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Trustees of Trust Funds, Road Agent, Library Trustees, Sexton and Police Chief for the year ending December 31, 1960, and find them correctly cast and proper vouchers therefor.

STANLEY P. JOHNSON,

LINCOLN K. DRAKE,

Auditors

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY TRUSTEES

During the past year, we are pleased to report an increase in the use of the Library facilities. We feel this is due in part to the increase in population of the town, as well as the fact that new books and magazines for all ages are constantly being added to meet the increased demand for new reading material.

The installation of a flag-pole and purchase of a new flag were not completed this year, but intentions have not been abandoned. We still plan to complete this project in the very near future.

The allotment for purchase of new books will be spent with the emphasis toward science and the contemporary trend in reading matter this year. Any suggestions the reading public may have will be gratefully received.

We wish to take this opportunity to thank our many friends of the Library, who so thoughtfully contribute magazines, literary bulletins and books. For the fine cooperation extended by all during Library Week and to our Librarian whose services are so much appreciated by all.

Respectfully submitted,

THEODORE HADLEY
ESTHER ORCUTT
PEARL CORNWELL

HAMPSTEAD PUBLIC LIBRARY

Financial Report of the Library Trustees for 1960

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| Balance on Hand, Jan. 1, 1960 | \$675.12 | |
| Received, Town Appropriation | 1,415.00 | |
| Received, Interest, Trust Funds | 275.71 | |
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| Total Receipts | | \$2,365.83 |
| EXPENDITURES, 1960 | | |
| Librarian's Salary | \$656.25 | |
| Electricity | 58.38 | |
| Insurance | 145.99 | |
| Fuel Oil | 148.15 | |
| Janitor Service | 82.50 | |
| Care of Grounds | 61.00 | |
| Books and Periodicals | 337.97 | |
| Miscellaneous: | | |
| Desk Blotter | 1.60 | |
| Library Assoc. Dues | 8.00 | |
| Library Week Observance | 18.39 | |
| Postage | 9.90 | |
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| | \$37.89 | |
| Total Expenditures, 1960 | | \$1,528.13 |
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| Balance, January 1, 1961 | | \$837.70 |

THEODORE B. HADLEY

ESTHER ORCUTT

PEARL CORNWELL

Library Trustees

LIBRARIAN'S REPORT FOR 1960

It is with pleasure that this Annual Report of the Hampstead Public Library is presented to you. As in previous years we have lost some borrowers who have left town but many new names appear on the register. At present we have 455 enrolled as compared to 399 last year. The young mothers and fathers of Hampstead are to be commended for the keen interest they display by making it possible for their children to visit the library regularly and borrow books. I am confident that these parents are being rewarded for their efforts along this line.

The New Hampshire Congregational-Christian Church sponsors a contest called Adventures in Reading. Members of the Hampstead Church have entered this contest and are very anxious to read the books listed for the contestants. To meet these requests we have purchased a good number of the books and others have been borrowed from the Bookmobile in Exeter or directly from the State Library in Concord. Let me again emphasize the great service rendered by these agencies. Miss Christie Heath, Chairman of Adventures in Reading, in the Ladies Social Circle, would be pleased to enroll you in the contest for another year.

For the past few years our library has observed National Library Week during April. Last year was no exception. I am glad to report that the observance proved very successful. Tuesday was designated as Children's Day. The Principal of the Central School, Mr. Seth O'Shea, together with all members of the faculty accompanied the pupils to the Library. The day turned out to be a very stormy one. Through the kindness of Mr. Gordon Monroe and Mr. Frank Howard, the children were transported to and from the library in the school buses. The first group, Grades 1-4, after looking over the exhibits on display, were entertained by the children of Miss Christie's Kindergarten. Following this visit the pupils of Grades 5-8 made their visit. This group displayed much interest in the exhibits on views of early

Hampstead, old coins and paper currency, relics of World War II, American dolls of different periods, as well as dolls from foreign countries, free hand drawings and art. Before their departure all pupils were served refreshments under the supervision of Mrs. Warren Ells and Mrs. Joseph Leonard. On Wednesday afternoon open house was held for the Adults. On their arrival at the library the guests were invited to browse among the books and look over the exhibits. Mrs. Rachel Sanborn then invited the guests to make a tour of the Bookmobile. This feature proved very enjoyable to the visitors who then proceeded to the Church Vestry where a Silver Tea was served. Mrs. Laurence Cornwell and Mrs. Richard Orcutt, Trustees of the Library, poured. Rev. Theodore Hadley then introduced Mrs. Sanborn who gave a very enlightening talk on the work of the library and the way the Bookmobile functions. She also stressed the fact that in a great many towns and cities in New Hampshire groups of people are forming organizations called "Friends of the Library." These groups are proving very beneficial to the Library. It is the earnest desire of your librarian that the good people of Hampstead will see fit to organize such a group in the near future. Many thanks go to Mrs. Herbert Johnson and Mrs. Allen Pomeroy for their fine work in arranging the table for the Silver Tea, also to Mrs. Frank Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Dustin for the splendid job they did in preparing the refreshments. Many favorable comments were received concerning the afternoon activities and we feel it was a worthwhile project.

The typewriter from the High School which was donated to the Library by the School Board has proved to be very helpful. We want to express our thanks for this gift, also for the text books which were donated. The people of Hampstead have been generous in their donations of books and magazines. Space does not permit me to enumerate the donors, but we are indeed grateful.

This being the 100th Anniversary of the Civil War it was felt wise to purchase a good History of the War. One published by the American Heritage Publishing Company

was chosen. Its fine illustrations and good print make it very popular. A set of books "The Creative Science Series" consisting of the following books: "Planets, Stars and Space," "The Earth's Story," "The Way of the Weather" and "Atoms, Energy and Machines" was purchased. We have tried to help direct the reading habits of the young people so they will choose from the classics, biographies, books on science and on art as well as books of fiction. As a result more and more non-fiction books are borrowed by this group. We have purchased many of the best sellers as they are always in demand.

The wonderful cooperation of the Trustees is deeply appreciated. Thanks is due Mrs. Warren Ells for so ably substituting for me.

A cordial welcome is extended to all who wish to visit the library.

Respectfully submitted,

BERTHA L. WHITENECK,

Librarian

REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD ON DECEMBER 31, 1960

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| Date of Creation | TRUST FUNDS— PURPOSE OF CREATION | HOW INVESTED | TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD | | | |
|---------------------|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| | | | Balance Beginning of Year | Rate of Interest | Income During Year | Expended During Year |
| 1875 | James Gordon Fund — Library Fund | U. S. Treasury Bond No. 12689K | \$500.00 | 2½ | \$12.50 | \$12.50 |
| 1898 | Nelson Ordway Fund — Library Fund | Manchester Savings Bank No. 114737 | 2,500.00 | 3¾ | 99.90 | 99.90 |
| 1927 | Nelson Ordway Fund — Library Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank No. 65393 | 2,500.00 | 4¼ for 3 mo. | 163.31 | 163.31 |
| 1919 | George Webster Fund — Library Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 1,022.19 | 4 for | 163.31 | 163.31 |
| 1919 | Martha Ordway Fund — Library Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank | 500.00 | 9 mo. | | |
| | Cemetery Fund — Cemetery | Manchester Savings Bank No. 167186 | 9,715.26 | | | |
| | George S. Harvey, Jr. — Perpet'l. Care (West Hampstead Cemetery) | Manchester Savings Bank* | 100.00 | | | |
| | Sarah Stickney — Perpetual Care (Lot #34) | Manchester Savings Bank* | 150.00 | | | |
| | David & Alice Mosher — Perpet'l Care (Lot #148) | Manchester Savings Bank* | 100.00 | 3¾ | 452.83 | 452.83 |
| | W. A. Fitts Lot — Perpetual Care (Lakeview) | Manchester Savings Bank* | 100.00 | | | |
| | Littlefield-Wilmer Lots—Perpet'l Care (West Hampstead) | Manchester Savings Bank* | 200.00 | | | |
| | | | | | | 10,365.25 |

* New Funds Created Total \$650.00

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|------|---|--|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|
| 1934 | Series K Bond — Cemetery James Johnson — Cemetery Martha Ordway — Park Fund | Series K No. D195645 Series K No. M552138 N. H. Savings Bank No. 104205 | 500.00 1,000.00 1,757.79 | 2½ 2½ ¾ | 13.80 27.60 65.48 | 13.80 27.60 1,823.27 | 500.00 1,000.00 1,823.27 |
| 1945 | Capital Reserve Fund — Reserve Fund Concord Savings Bank | No. 11885 | 1,493.30 | ¾ | 57.46 | | 1,550.76 |
| 1857 | Benjamin Emerson Fund High School Fund | Amoskeag Savings Bank No. 200859 | 7,244.28 | 4 for 9 mo. 4¼ for 3 mo. | | | |
| | Benjamin Emerson Fund High School Fund | Manchester Savings Bank No. 181974 | | | 294.12 | 294.12 | 7,244.28 |
| | Benjamin Emerson Fund High School Fund | N. H. Savings Bank No. 105443 | 1,600.00 | ¾ | 63.94 | 63.94 | 1,600.00 |
| | Benjamin Emerson Fund High School Fund | Series K Bonds | 3,516.25 | 4 | 136.25 | 136.25 | 3,516.25 |
| | Bond Nos.: M552360, M470289, M263765, M480229, M415139, M470290, M552136, M552137, M480230 | | 9,000.00 | ¾ | 234.60 | 234.60 | 9,000.00 |
| | | | \$42,849.06 | | \$1,621.79 | \$1,498.85 | \$43,622.00 |

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Trustees of Trust Funds, for year ending December 31, 1960 and find them correctly cast, and proper vouchers therefor.

STANLEY P. JOHNSON
LINCOLN K. DRAKE

Auditors

ANNUAL REPORT

of the

SCHOOL BOARD

of the

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, N. H.

OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF
HAMPSTEAD

BOARD OF EDUCATION

| Name | Term Expires |
|---------------------------|--------------|
| Horace Tarleton, Chairman | 1961 |
| Charles B. Clark | 1962 |
| John Mirabito, Jr. | 1963 |

OTHER OFFICERS

| Name | Title |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Laurence Cornwell (elected annually) | Moderator |
| Elizabeth Currier (elected annually) | District Clerk |
| Abbie Randall (elected annually) | District Treasurer |
| Richard Low (elected annually) | District Auditor |
| Irene Brickett (elected annually) | District Auditor |
| Wendell V. Davis | Superintendent of Schools |

SCHOOL WARRANT
STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School District in the Town of Hampstead qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the thirteenth day of March, 1961 at 7:00 o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary School District officers for the ensuing year.

2. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors and Committees, or Officers chosen and pass any vote relating thereto.

3. To chose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

4. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

5. To see if the district will vote to add the services of a teacher of Special Education to the Union Staff. This would not be effective on a Union basis until September 1962, and would not raise any money in the 1961-62 school year.

6. To see if the district will vote to raise and appropriate Five Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) to improve the town baseball diamond to the rear of the fire station. This diamond can be used by the Pony League and all children of the town, as well as being used by the Central School baseball team.

7. To see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational puposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal, State, local or private agencies.

8. To transact any further business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hand at said Hampstead this twentieth day of February, 1961.

HORACE P. TARLETON

CHARLES B. CLARK

JOHN J. MIRABITO

School Board

The Polls will be open to vote for District Officers from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. The other articles of the Warrant will be taken up at 8:00 o'clock.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT TREASURER
for the

Fiscal Year July 1, 1959 to June 30, 1960

SUMMARY

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Cash on Hand July 1, 1959 (Treasurer's Bank Balance) | \$6,030.21 |
| Received from Selectmen | |
| Current Appropriation | \$76,093.97 |
| Special Appropriation | 1,126.00 |
| Received from State Treasurer | |
| State Funds | 840.00 |
| Federal Funds | 1,236.80 |
| Received from Tuitions | 240.00 |
| Received as Income from Trust Funds | 678.22 |
| Received from all Other Sources | 743.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS | \$80,957.99 |
| Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year (Balance and Receipts) | 86,988.20 |
| Less School Board Orders Paid | 84,841.26 |
| | <hr/> |
| Balance on Hand June 30, 1960 (Treasurer's Bank Balance) | \$2,146.94 |

ABBIE E. RANDALL,

July 6, 1960

District Treasurer

AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hampstead, N.H. of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1960 and find them correct in all respects.

STANLEY P. JOHNSON

RICHARD S. LOW

July 13, 1960

Auditors

DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

| Date | From Whom | Description | Amount |
|-------|--|-------------|-----------|
| 1959 | | | |
| July | 3—State of New Hampshire—May Milk Reimbursement | | \$ 84.45 |
| July | 30—State of New Hampshire—June Milk Reimbursement | | 50.40 |
| Aug. | 3—Town of Hampstead—Appropriation | | 3,000.00 |
| Sept. | 8—Town of Hampstead—Appropriation | | 10,000.00 |
| Sept. | 17—Town of Hampstead—Appropriation | | 5,000.00 |
| Oct. | 6—Town of Hampstead—Appropriation | | 3,000.00 |
| Nov. | 9—Town of Hampstead—Appropriation | | 6,000.00 |
| Nov. | 15—State of New Hampshire—Sept. Milk Reimbursement | | 57.06 |
| Nov. | 18—State of New Hampshire—State Building Aid Fund | | 840.00 |
| Dec. | 8—State of New Hampshire—Oct. Milk Reimbursement | | 79.68 |
| Dec. | 8—Town of Hampstead—Appropriation | | 10,000.00 |
| 1960 | | | |
| Jan. | 5—Town of Hampstead—Appropriation | | 35,219.97 |
| Jan. | 8—State of New Hampshire—Nov. Milk Reimbursement | | 67.92 |
| Jan. | 20—Town of Hampstead—Interest on Trust Funds | | 678.22 |
| Feb. | 4—State of New Hampshire—Dec. Milk Reimbursement | | 71.70 |
| Mar. | 1—State of New Hampshire—Jan. Milk Reimbursement | | 87.06 |
| Mar. | 18—City of Portsmouth—Elementary Tuition | | 120.00 |
| Apr. | 12—State of New Hampshire—Feb. Milk Reimbursement | | 72.00 |
| May | 7—State of New Hampshire—Mar. Milk Reimbursement | | 104.25 |
| June | 1—Horace Tarleton—Sale of Equipment | | 50.00 |
| June | 1—Elizabeth Currier—Sale of Equipment | | 40.00 |
| June | 1—Riverside Sign Co.—Sale of Equipment | | 50.00 |
| June | 2—State of New Hampshire—April Milk Reimbursement | | 72.75 |
| June | 25—State of New Hampshire—May Milk Reimbursement | | 104.10 |
| June | 22—City of Portsmouth—Elementary Tuition | | 120.00 |
| June | 30—Horace Tarleton—Sale of Equipment | | 25.00 |

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD

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|---|-------------|
| June 30—Greater Hampstead Civic Club— | |
| For Gym Note and Interest | 578.00 |
| Apr. 6—State of New Hampshire—Defense Education | |
| Act Reimbursement—Federal Aid | 385.43 |
| | <hr/> |
| TOTAL RECEIPTS DURING THE YEAR | \$80,957.99 |

FINANCIAL REPORT

of the Hampstead School District for the Fiscal Year
Beginning July 1, 1959 and Ending June 30, 1960

CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 71 of the Revised Statutes Annotated, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

WENDELL V. DAVIS

Superintendent

July 8, 1960

HORACE P. TARLETON

JOHN J. MIRABITO

School Board

RECEIPTS

FEDERAL AID

National School Lunch and

Special Milk

\$851.37

Other

385.43

Total

\$1,236.80

STATE AID

Building Aid

\$840.00

Total

\$840.00

LOCAL TAXATION

| | |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Current Appropriation | \$76,093.97 |
| Special Appropriations | 1,126.00 |

| | |
|-------|-------------|
| Total | \$77,219.97 |
|-------|-------------|

OTHER SOURCES

| | |
|----------------------------|----------|
| Elementary School Tuitions | \$240.00 |
| Trust Funds | 678.22 |
| Other | 743.00 |

| | |
|-------|------------|
| Total | \$1,661.22 |
|-------|------------|

| | |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Total Net Receipts from All Sources | \$80,957.99 |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|

Cash on Hand at Beginning of Year, July 1, 1959

| | |
|--------------|------------|
| General Fund | \$6,030.21 |
|--------------|------------|

| | |
|-------|------------|
| Total | \$6,030.21 |
|-------|------------|

| | |
|--------------------------|-------------|
| GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS | \$86,988.20 |
|--------------------------|-------------|

EXPLANATION OF DIFFERENCE BETWEEN NET
(ACTUAL) EXPENDITURES AND GROSS
TRANSACTIONS

Receipts

Total Net Income Plus Cash on Hand

July 1, 1959 (Agrees with

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| "GRAND TOTAL NET RECEIPTS") | \$86,988.20 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|

| | |
|-----------------------|------|
| Receipts from Refunds | 0.00 |
|-----------------------|------|

| | |
|--------------------|-------------|
| TOTAL GROSS INCOME | \$86,988.20 |
|--------------------|-------------|

Payments

Total Net Payments Plus Cash on Hand

June 30, 1960 (Agrees with

| | |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| "GRAND TOTAL NET PAYMENTS") | \$86,988.20 |
|-----------------------------|-------------|

| | |
|-------------------------------|------|
| Payments refunded or returned | 0.00 |
|-------------------------------|------|

| | |
|----------------------|-------------|
| TOTAL GROSS PAYMENTS | \$86,988.20 |
|----------------------|-------------|

BALANCE SHEET — JUNE 30, 1960

| ASSETS | | LIABILITIES | |
|--|------------|---|------------|
| Cash on Hand June 30, 1960 | | Accounts Owed by District | |
| Accounts Due to District | \$2,146.94 | Encumbrances: | |
| Refund from Transporter | 168.91 | Vaughn — Window Shades | \$75.00 |
| | | Kolb — Ivy Removal | 50.00 |
| | | Notes and Bonds Outstanding | 800.00 |
| | | | |
| TOTAL ASSETS | \$2,315.85 | TOTAL LIABILITIES | \$925.00 |
| Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities Over Assets) | 0 | Surplus (Excess of Assets Over Liabilities) | \$1,390.85 |
| | | | |
| GRAND TOTAL | \$2,315.85 | GRAND TOTAL | \$2,315.85 |
| STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS | | | |
| Name of Building or Project for which Notes or Bonds Were Issued | | Central | Gymnasium |
| Outstanding at Beginning of Year | | \$2,000.00 | \$1,600.00 |
| Issued During Year | | 0 | 0 |
| Total | | 2,000.00 | 1,600.00 |
| Payments of Principal of Debt | | 2,000.00 | 800.00 |
| | | | |
| Notes and Bonds Outstanding at End of Year | | 0 | 800.00 |
| | | | 800.00 |

DETAIL OF ADMINISTRATIVE SALARIES 1960 - 1961

Supervisory Union No. 55

| Town | Share of Superintendent's Salary | Share of Helping Teacher's Salary |
|------------------------|--|---|
| Atkinson | \$ 393.60 | \$ 262.40 |
| Newton | 441.00 | 294.00 |
| Hampstead | 455.40 | 303.60 |
| Plaistow | 1,003.80 | 669.20 |
| Salem | 3,706.20 | 2,470.80 |
| State of New Hampshire | 2,500.00 | 2,500.00 |
| Total Salaries | <u>\$8,500.00</u> | <u>\$6,500.00</u> |

DETAILED EXPENDITURES
1959-1960

SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

| | |
|---------------------------------------|----------|
| Glendon Emerson, School Board Ch'rman | \$150.00 |
| Charles Clark, School Board Member | 100.00 |
| Horace Tarleton, School Board Member | 100.00 |
| Laurence Cornwell, Moderator | 5.00 |
| Abbie Randall, Treasurer | 100.00 |
| Irene Brickett, Auditor | 10.00 |
| Stanley P. Johnson, Auditor | 10.00 |
| Elizabeth Currier, Clerk | 3.00 |
| Jennie Clark | 2.00 |
| Mildred Emerson | 2.00 |
| Jayne Hall | 2.00 |
| Dorothy Letoile | 2.00 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$486.00 |

SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | \$499.95 |
|--------------------------|----------|

TAX FOR STATEWIDE SUPERVISION

| | |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| New Hampshire State Treasurer | \$398.00 |
|-------------------------------|----------|

SALARIES OF OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL

| | |
|------------------------------|----------|
| Jayne Hall, Census Taker | \$36.80 |
| Russell Hall, Truant Officer | 25.00 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 739.83 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$801.63 |

SUPPLIES AND EXPENSES

| | |
|---|--------|
| American School Board Journal | \$3.25 |
| D. J. Casey Paper Company, Inc. | 40.91 |
| Central School Petty Cash Fund | 15.00 |
| The College Bindery | 2.90 |
| Lewis C. Darling, Postmaster | 24.80 |
| Department of Elementary School | |
| Principals | 5.00 |
| Glendon N. Emerson | 25.00 |
| The Nation's Schools | 8.00 |
| New Hampshire School Boards Association | 10.00 |
| Rush-A-Service | 12.95 |
| School Management Magazines, Inc. | 8.00 |
| Inez Smith | 10.40 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 286.71 |
| The Wood Press, Inc. | 5.00 |

\$457.92

PRINCIPAL'S AND TEACHERS' SALARIES

| | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------|------------|
| Frances Hoyt | \$4,500.00* | \$3,396.34 |
| Sandra J. Jameson | 3,900.00* | 2,821.43 |
| Ann I. Johnson | 3,800.00* | 2,861.06 |
| Patricia M. McCarthy | 3,900.00* | 2,990.90 |
| Seth O'Shea | 4,500.00* | 3,426.94 |
| Ethel Scott | 3,800.00* | 2,826.36 |
| Charlotte Zimmer | 4,100.00* | 3,153.34 |
| Grace Allison, substitute | | 133.74 |
| Dorothy Duston, substitute | | 224.66 |
| Esther Walker, substitute | | 10.19 |
| Dorothy Cox | | 370.00 |
| District Director of Internal Revenue | | 1,374.20 |
| First National Bank of Derry | | 2,882.30 |
| Gordon McGown Associates, Inc. | | 91.50 |
| National Education Association | | 70.00 |
| New Hampshire Education Association | | 56.00 |

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD

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|---|-------------|
| New Hampshire State Treasurer | 817.36 |
| N. H. Teachers Retirement System | 1,103.40 |
| N.H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service | 524.20 |
| Plaistow, Hampstead, Atkinson and Newton Teachers' Association | 7.00 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 1,104.71 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$30,245.63 |

*Contracted Salaries 1959-60

BOOKS AND OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL AIDS

| | |
|--------------------------------|----------|
| Allyn and Bacon, Inc. | \$191.08 |
| American Book Company | 196.58 |
| Arlo Publishing Company | 18.09 |
| Boston Music Company | 4.50 |
| Bureau of Publications | 2.64 |
| Central School Petty Cash Fund | 5.00 |
| F. E. Compton and Company | 11.80 |
| Follett Publishing Company | 51.43 |
| Ginn and Company | 39.08 |
| J. L. Hammett Company | 11.56 |
| Laidlaw Brothers | 4.72 |
| Lyons and Carnahan | 54.83 |
| Massachusetts Audubon Society | 2.40 |
| The Reader's Digest | 27.29 |
| Scott, Foresman and Company | 70.42 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 29.33 |
| Teen Age Book Club | 5.60 |
| John C. Winston Company | 63.17 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$789.52 |

SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

| | |
|---------------------------------|--------|
| Allyn and Bacon, Inc. | \$1.09 |
| American Education Publications | 26.90 |
| American Publications | 21.50 |

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD

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|---------------------------------|----------|
| Bond Tobacco Company | 9.50 |
| Central School Petty Cash Fund | 2.95 |
| Follett Publishing Company | 34.92 |
| J. L. Hammett Company | 20.88 |
| Lyons and Carnahan | 62.51 |
| Milton Bradley Company | 367.84 |
| Remington Rand | 15.75 |
| Scott, Foresman and Company | 213.40 |
| Standard Duplicator Sales, Inc. | 13.50 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 10.31 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$801.05 |

SALARIES OF CLERICAL ASSISTANTS

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | \$100.00 |
|--------------------------|----------|

SUPPLIES AND OTHER EXPENSES

| | |
|--|---------|
| American Book Company | \$50.92 |
| American Education Publications | 15.25 |
| The College Bindery | 7.70 |
| Commonwealth of Massachusetts | 76.00 |
| Arthur Croft Publications | 7.99 |
| Lewis Darling | 2.70 |
| Arthur Denault, Postmaster | 19.04 |
| Phyllis Dolph | 6.75 |
| Educators Progress Service | 7.00 |
| Encyclopedia Britannica Films | 15.25 |
| Follett Publishing Company | 6.00 |
| Ginn & Company | 63.28 |
| J. L. Hammett Company | 5.14 |
| Hayes School Publishing Company | 28.49 |
| International Reading Association | 3.50 |
| Patricia McCarthy | 4.89 |
| Milton Bradley Company | 10.55 |
| New England Telephone and Telegraph Company | 219.26 |

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD

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| | | |
|------------------------------------|--------|------------|
| Richard O'Neil Company | 5.50 | |
| Seth O'Shea | 31.18 | |
| Psychological Corporation | 6.90 | |
| Rand McNally & Company | 18.09 | |
| A. H. Rice Company, Inc. | 6.04 | |
| Lorraine Sargent | 39.75 | |
| Walter B. Sheirer, Treasurer — | | |
| N.H.M.E.A. | 5.00 | |
| Scott Foresman Company | 87.49 | |
| Society for Visual Education, Inc. | 49.65 | |
| Spencer Press, Inc. | 128.00 | |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 314.84 | |
| United World Films, Inc. | 4.14 | |
| Wood Press, Inc. | 15.00 | |
| World Book Company | 58.67 | |
| Charlotte Zimmer | 5.96 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$1,325.87 |

SALARIES OF CUSTODIANS

| | | |
|--------------------------|------------|------------|
| Kenneth Clark | \$2,473.92 | |
| N.H. State Treasurer | 70.08 | |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 15.91 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$2,559.91 |

FUEL OR HEAT

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------|------------|
| Community Gas Company | \$63.00 | |
| Valley Oil Company | 1,800.06 | |
| | | <hr/> |
| | | \$1,863.06 |

WATER, LIGHT, JANITORS' SUPPLIES
AND EXPENSES

| | |
|-------------------------------------|---------|
| Avon Paper Company, Inc. | \$37.90 |
| Californina Wiping Material Company | 18.20 |

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|---|----------|
| Lewis C. Darling | 33.03 |
| C. B. Dolge Company | 27.66 |
| Haverhill Hardware and Plumbing Supply Company | 14.78 |
| Huntington Laboratories | 200.29 |
| The Edmund Little Company | 56.52 |
| Milton Bradley Company | 19.08 |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | 1,004.77 |

\$1,412.23

REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS

| | |
|---|--------|
| Boston Beef Company | \$5.75 |
| D. J. Casey Paper Company, Inc. | 44.00 |
| D.D. Chase Lumber Company | 1.76 |
| Kenneth H. Clark | 8.05 |
| Community Gas Company | 20.00 |
| Lewis C. Darling | 19.91 |
| Demers Plate Glass Company | 8.66 |
| Warren H. Ells | 59.50 |
| Finberg Supply Company | 2.70 |
| A. G. Fink | 640.00 |
| Fred C. Fitch | 3.00 |
| Leslie E. George, Jr. | 17.50 |
| Gobbi and Reynolds | 4.00 |
| Jay Graham | 24.00 |
| Granz Marine and Mower Service | 6.15 |
| Haverhill Hardware and Plumbing Supply Company | 69.52 |
| F. C. Howard | 43.25 |
| R. Arthur Johnston | 249.89 |
| Jones Typewriter Company | 45.25 |
| Ken's Radio and T.V. Service | 33.00 |
| C. Henry Lenz | 4.00 |
| Letoile Roofing Company | 259.79 |
| C. A. Nadeau | 107.54 |
| New Hampshire Department of Agriculture | 1.00 |

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| Pioneer Office Appliance Company | 12.25 |
| Smith's Fire Equipment Service | 3.50 |
| Standard Duplicating Machine Corporation | 258.00 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 15.53 |
| Valley Oil Company | 29.55 |
| Harry S. Vaughn | 123.00 |
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| | \$2,120.05 |

HEALTH SUPERVISION

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|--------------------------|----------|
| Otis Clapp and Son, Inc. | \$.87 |
| Raymond E. Moore, M.D. | 94.00 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 895.04 |
| | <hr/> |
| | \$989.91 |

TRANSPORTATION

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|----------------------|------------|
| Eleanor Gray | \$400.50 |
| Frank E. Howard | 4,523.76 |
| Gordon S. Monroe | 4,932.30 |
| Munroe's Bus Service | 20.06 |
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| | \$9,876.62 |

TUITION

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|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| Derry Cooperative School District | \$5,250.00 |
| City of Haverhill | 709.14 |
| Pinkerton Academy | 12,938.00 |
| Sanborn Seminary | 400.00 |
| State Board of Education | 240.00 |
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| | \$19,537.14 |

SPECIAL ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL FUNDS

| | |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Warren H. Ells | \$142.00 |
| Haverhill Rubber Company | 54.78 |

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| Seth O'Shea, Principal | 25.00 | |
| Taylor Goodwin | 3.38 | |
| | <hr/> | \$225.16 |

SCHOOL LUNCH PROGRAM REIMBURSEMENT

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|--------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Hampstead Milk Program | \$134.85 | |
| Hampstead School Lunch Program | 716.52 | |
| | <hr/> | \$851.37 |

RETIREMENT

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|---|----------|------------|
| New Hampshire Department of Public Welfare—OASI Fund | \$4.62 | |
| New Hampshire State Treasurer | 560.51 | |
| New Hampshire Teachers Retirement System | 1,442.10 | |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 194.24 | |
| | <hr/> | \$2,201.47 |

INSURANCE, TREASURER'S BONDS AND EXPENSES

| | | |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Curtis Insurance Agency | \$337.94 | |
| First National Bank of Boston | 10.00 | |
| Maurice I. Randall | 509.96 | |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 137.35 | |
| | <hr/> | \$995.25 |

LANDS AND NEW BUILDINGS

| | |
|----------------|----------|
| Robert Vautier | \$500.00 |
|----------------|----------|

ADDITIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO BUILDINGS

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|---------------------------------|---------|
| Boy Scouts of America, Troop 33 | \$25.00 |
| Brickett's Farm and Greenhouse | 35.70 |

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD

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|-------------------------------|--------|
| Cherry Hill Nurseries | 75.00 |
| Warren Ells | 420.00 |
| Daniel George | 6.65 |
| Paul C. Gibbons | 37.75 |
| Arnold T. Horsch, Inc. | 180.00 |
| C. F. Howard | 72.45 |
| C. A. Nadeau | 47.99 |
| Universal Fency Company, Inc. | 306.00 |
| L. Norris Webster | 41.92 |

\$1,248.46

NEW EQUIPMENT

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|-------------------------------------|----------|
| H. D. Burrage and Company | \$310.86 |
| Grade-Aid Corporation | 509.50 |
| Granz Mower and Marine Service | 92.75 |
| Mainco Trading Company | 357.39 |
| Milton Bradley Company | 287.91 |
| New Hampshire Division AAA | 11.23 |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 37.42 |
| United Restaurant Equipment Company | 78.00 |
| Andrew Wilson Company | 27.00 |

\$1,712.06

PRINCIPAL OF DEBT

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|--------------------------------|------------|
| First National Bank of Boston | \$2,000.00 |
| Merrimack Valley National Bank | 800.00 |

\$2,800.00

INTEREST ON DEBT

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|--------------------------------|---------|
| First National Bank of Boston | \$25.00 |
| Merrimack Valley National Bank | 18.00 |

\$43.00

GRAND TOTAL

\$84,841.26

BUDGET WORK SHEET

This is a presentation of the budget work sheet upon which your School Board has been operating during 1960-61 and their estimated expenses for the year 1961-62. It must be taken into consideration that monies appropriated in the month of March, to be used in the following year do not necessarily correspond in individual items, because of the impossibility of projecting the rising price indexes twelve months hence.

| | HAMPSTEAD SCHOOL BOARD | | |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | Expended 1959-1960 \$ | Appropriated 1960-1961 \$ | Proposed 1961-1962 \$ |
| ADMINISTRATION | | | |
| 1. Salaries of District Officers | | | |
| 2. Superintendent's Salary | 499.95 | 455.40 | 516.75 |
| 3. Tax for State Supervision | 398.00 | 404.00 | 484.00 |
| 4. Salaries of Adm. Personnel | 801.63 | 740.41 | 1,002.52 |
| 5. Supplies and Other Expenses | 457.92 | 384.44 | 404.62 |
| INSTRUCTION | | | |
| 6. Salaries of Teachers | 30,245.63 | 37,911.76 | 44,841.00 |
| 7. Books and Other Instructional Aids | 789.52 | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| 8. Scholars' Supplies | 801.05 | 800.00 | 1,160.00 |
| 9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants | 100.00 | 100.00 | 685.00 |
| 10. Other Instructional Expenses | 1,325.87 | 1,407.63 | 2,124.00 |

| SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD | | | | 85 |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|----|
| | Expended 1959-1960 | Appropriated 1960-1961 | Proposed 1961-1962 | |
| OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT | | | | |
| 11. Salary of Custodian | 2,559.91 | 3,538.28 | 4,095.00 | |
| 12. Fuel or Heat | 1,863.06 | 2,135.00 | 2,377.00 | |
| 13. Water and Light | 1,004.77 | 900.00 | 1,270.00 | |
| 13a. Custodial Supplies | 407.46 | 400.00 | 500.00 | |
| MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT | | | | |
| 14. Repairs and Replacements | 1,317.43 | 840.00 | 955.46 | |
| 14a. Contingency | 482.62 | 0 | 500.00 | |
| 14b. Special Article | 320.00 | 0 | 0 | |
| AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES | | | | |
| 15. Health Supervision | 989.91 | 1,033.29 | 1,087.00 | |
| 16. Transportation | 9,876.62 | 9,850.00 | 11,000.00 | |
| 17. Tuition | 19,537.14 | 23,300.00 | 29,145.00 | |
| 18. Special Fund Activities | 225.16 | 150.00 | 150.00 | |
| 18a. Milk Program Reimbursements | 851.37 | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 | |
| FIXED CHARGES | | | | |
| 19. Retirement and Social Security | 2,201.47 | 2,791.13 | 3,254.19 | |
| 20. Insurance, Bonds and Expenses | 995.25 | 1,478.24 | 1,700.00 | |

SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD

CAPITAL OUTLAY

- 21. Lands and New Buildings
- 22. Additions and Improvements to Property
- 23. New Equipment
- 24. Payments into Capital Reserve

| Expended 1959-1960 | Appropriated 1960-1961 | Proposed 1961-1962 |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| 500.00 | 0 | 0 |
| 1,248.46 | 0 | 0 |
| 1,712.06 | 1,738.44 | 300.00 |
| 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | |
| 2,800.00 | 800.00 | 7,000.00 |
| 43.00 | 1,706.00 | 3,018.75 |
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| \$84,841.26 | \$95,352.02 | \$120,058.29 |

TOTALS

DEBT, INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES

- 25. Payments of Principal of Debt
- 26. Payments of Interest on Debt

INCOME

| | Expended 1959-1960 | Appropriated 1960-1961 | Proposed 1961-1962 |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| Cash on Hand—Beginning of Year | \$ 6,030.21 | \$ 2,500.00 | \$ 125.00 |
| From Town Appropriation | 77,219.97 | 90,195.02 | 114,948.29 |
| State Aid—Foundation | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| State Aid—Buildings | 840.00 | 216.00 | 2,100.00 |
| Federal Aid—Milk Reimbursement | 851.37 | 1,000.00 | 1,000.00 |
| Federal Aid—N.D.E.A. | 385.43 | 275.00 | 90.00 |
| Trust Funds | 678.22 | 600.00 | 600.00 |
| Tuition—State Ward | 240.00 | 0 | 265.00 |
| Other Income | 743.00 | 566.00 | 930.00 |
| TOTALS | \$86,988.20 | \$95,352.02 | \$120,058.29 |

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hampstead:

I am presenting herewith my Fifth Annual Report as Superintendent of Schools in Hampstead. A report from the Principal, the remedial reading teacher, the nurse and the music supervisor will discuss more in detail the activities of the school. Statistical reports are listed separately.

Personnel

Last September, Peter Teloian of Methuen, Massachusetts, a graduate of Lowell Teachers College, was added to the Central School staff and is now teaching grades 5 and 6. All members of last year's staff returned. I believe that your acceptance of an adequate salary guide and the realization of the value of reduced class size has had much to do with the high morale among the teachers and the wish to return. More important, this stability of the staff and the reduced class size produces better pupil achievement.

All teachers have continued membership in local, state and national professional organizations and I am extremely proud of the fact that Union No. 55 has one hundred per cent membership in these organizations.

Curriculum

Last year in my report I recommended that a class in Special Education be provided. The Hampstead budget included funds to do this on a part-time basis and by pooling our resources with three other towns in Union No. 55 we were able to establish such a course. A special report on this class follows my comments. It is interesting to note that Dr. Charles F. Ritch, Jr., Commissioner of Education for New Hampshire, in his talk last April to the New Hampshire Education Association delegates emphasized that they have the responsibility to exert leadership in presenting basic education needs to the people. One of the basic

needs was support for the mentally handicapped, and he said, and I quote, "We must understand that "special" young people who are in our schools today should be a part of the public schools, but should be put into specialized classes in order to meet their particular needs and, at the same time, to preserve the needs of the remainder of the children." New Hampshire's report on the White House Conference on Children and Youth has just been published and strongly advocates classes in special education. It is complimentary to you that you have seen this need and have taken steps to create this class, being one of the few smaller districts to do so.

Our remedial reading program is very effective and the continuance of this class is another step in the right direction to help more children succeed better in school.

Educational Television, another modern education tool, is available at the Central School. Channel 11 is providing more courses for us and we now have a much fuller program from which to choose.

The National Education Defense Act makes it possible to improve the curriculum in many areas, notably science. The Federal Government will pay one-half of the cost of math, science and modern language materials for use in the classroom. We should avail ourselves again of this opportunity to provide better class instruction.

I am recommending part-time secretarial help for the Principal to enable him during his two free periods to get into the classrooms and help in the supervision program. He should not be bogged down with clerical details when he could be doing a great deal more good in the classroom.

Again I want to congratulate you on the forward steps that you are taking to give the pupils of Hampstead a better education.

I would like to mention the White House Conference Summary Report on Youth Priorities 1960-1970 as it affects education:

Education is the main basis for the broad political participation and individual mobility essential for a free so-

ciety. To fulfill these needs, we must provide varied education opportunities to challenge each individual to realize his full abilities. It should be recognized that all institutions and programs designed to meet individual needs can, and should maintain high standards. To do this, local, state and Federal Governments, as well as individuals, businesses and non-profit bodies must greatly increase their support for education on all levels. Further, the teacher must be more adequately honored as an individual and recompensed as a skilled professional.

School Buildings

Last year the citizens of Hampstead voted an addition to the Central School. This addition will be ready this Spring and most important, we will be able to provide single grades in the elementary school for the first time. This is most important for the educational success of the pupils.

I believe you will be justly proud of the appearance of the building. To be sure it will not contain the renovations of the old section that were planned. That is immaterial. You have the essential features and it is designed to be completed when the people may wish to do so.

Your School Board has continued to maintain and improve the physical condition of the buildings in use. A regular painting program each year improves the appearance and protects the investment. The custodian can be congratulated for his work in maintaining an attractive "look."

I believe that the Building Committee should continue to be in force. The high school situation in this area is not clear. The Derry School District has not yet gone on record as to whether or not they will continue to accept Grade 9 pupils at the Hood School from outside towns. Pinkerton Academy, at the present time, is happy to accept Hampstead students. Haverhill, Massachusetts has building problems and no one knows exactly whether or not they will continue to accept students from other school districts. It is apparent then, that the school districts in this area should

continue to be thinking of a possible regional secondary school. The State of New Hampshire encourages this type of school and will provide more financial aid for construction.

Another factor that may change the situation is the possibility of reorganizing the supervisory unions to permit more supervision. Nothing was done this year by the State Board of Education even though State Legislature has approved two additional unions. Action was tabled and something could happen to be effective July 1962.

In the meantime, Union No. 55 is contemplating more help in the Union office and advocating more time for principals to supervise. In five years time Union No. 55 has increased 45 teachers or fifty-seven per cent, and 919 pupils or forty-three per cent. The budgets during this time have gone up \$683,270.00 or one hundred nineteen per cent.

You may wish to know that the reports I have received from the principals of the Hood School and Pinkerton Academy, relative to the conduct and achievement of the Hampstead boys and girls are most exemplary.

Community Organizations

Appreciation is expressed for the continued support and cooperation of the Parent-Teachers Association, the Civic Club, the Womans Club and all other organizations.

I wish to thank the School Board, teachers and children for their cooperation in making our work successful.

Respectfully submitted,

WENDELL V. DAVIS,

Superintendent of Schools

REPORT OF SPECIAL EDUCATION CLASS

The School Districts of Hampstead, Atkinson, Plaistow and Newton raised funds in their respective budgets this year to provide a part-time class in Special Education. By combining these resources it was possible to establish a full-time class for a group of children who would have either been excluded from school attendance or placed in a regular classroom where they would have been at a great disadvantage themselves, or created disadvantages for the regular students.

The Hampstead School Districts provided a classroom in the High School, and the other three districts have contributed rent and a share of the operational costs. The classroom was equipped with student furniture, tables, filing cabinet, and various teacher tools, and each town contributed to the supplies and testing materials.

At present there are eleven pupils in the class ranging in age from nine to sixteen. There are 3 pupils from Atkinson, 3 from Hampstead, 2 from Newton and 3 from Plaistow — with previous school attendance varying from less than a year to seven years. There are several other students eligible for attendance in the various towns, but transportation of these students to Hampstead presents a problem. At present the students ride on the regular school bus in their respective communities, and then are transported by station wagon to Hampstead. As more transportation facilities are available additional children will be admitted to the class. Pupils of varying degrees of ability are being taught at their own level, regardless of chronological age.

Mrs. Ruth Webster, the teacher, reports on class activities as follows: "In **Reading** pupils are divided into three groups working at first and second grade level. Reading is one of the most serious problems because of speech defects and various reading problems. We work on reading skills, sight vocabulary, word analysis, phonetic analysis and

word drill, reading for meaning and smoothness in oral reading.

Arithmetic, so important in our daily lives, is taught in three groups as well. All groups have worked together on oral problems, telling time and the concept of size, measurement and numbers. Group I has had carrying in addition and borrowing in subtraction, multiplication up to 8's and counting in 1's, 5's and 10's. They are working in a 3rd grade workbook and occasionally in a 4th grade book. Group II had simple addition and subtraction, with multiplication up to 4's. They have had board work, but are now using a 3rd grade book and workbook. Group III is learning numbers, how to write numbers and their meaning, and are adding and subtracting one and two place numbers. They have studied the calendar and time.

In **Language** most of the work is oral. We are emphasizing the use of complete sentences, correct verbs, correct speaking and manners in listening. Pupils enjoy "Show and Tell" periods when they speak in front of the class. Our **Spelling** has consisted of words from the Dolch Basic sight vocabulary and has been studied in conjunction with our **Handwriting**, when we write one letter a day in capitals and small letters and the basic sight words beginning with that letter. **Social Studies** has been about the Family and its Members, duties and habits. We also study the community and a field trip to the firehouse during Fire Prevention Week provided first-hand information about the equipment used by firemen. In **Science** the students have learned about trees of New England, the five senses, etc., and personal hygiene and cleanliness have been emphasized.

Music is enjoyed under the direction of the Music Supervisor. **Handwork** helps in job and community preparation and develops coordination and motor skills, so time is spent almost every day in handwork. Art work is correlated to the reading stories with seasonal pictures and bulletin board displays. For Christmas the pupils made felt bookmarks, bell lapel pins, change purses, foam tree deco-

rations, wall plaques and tree decorations from can covers with old Christmas cards and glitter. Girls are learning to knit and boys to make models of plastic and wood. A fire-house model was made by two boys, as well as weather-vanes.

Pupils have come to realize that the Special Class is not a "play" school, but a serious undertaking to help prepare them for a place in the world. Teaching a Special Education Class is a challenge, but it is certainly a very rewarding experience when one sees eyes light up with understanding and when progress slowly but surely is being made."

The present budget includes funds for the continuation of this class. The cost in the 1961-62 year will be considerably less as all necessary equipment has already been purchased. Hampstead will continue to house the class. The School District Warrant for each of these towns will contain an article giving the voters the opportunity to make this a regular Union service as of September 1962. There has been legislation introduced to the present legislative session to provide State Aid to programs of this nature and the class now in operation should be eligible for this support. By combining resources with other towns having similar needs, we are able to provide a class of this nature that would otherwise be financially prohibitive.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL

To the School Board and to the Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby submit my second annual report as Principal of the Hampstead Central School.

Enrollment as of December 1960

| | |
|---------------|----|
| Grade 1 | 22 |
| 2 | 31 |
| 3 | 27 |
| 4 | 16 |
| 5 | 22 |
| 6 | 25 |
| 7 | 19 |
| 8 | 24 |

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|-------------|-----|
| Total | 186 |
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Central's one hundred eighty-six students, an increase of twenty-four, will be moving into the much needed addition toward the end of the school year.

Academically, Central School children, on the whole, have shown a marked improvement over last year's achievement tests. The Stanford Achievement Test is designed to measure the important knowledges, skills and understandings of the pupils. The results of these tests are most gratifying and certainly indicate the strength of the instruction in our elementary curriculum.

The Science Fair, held during the April Parent Teachers Association meeting, provided parents and visitors with a variety of junior high school projects created by the students.

Hampstead Central School participated in the baseball league, which included nine other schools. The program certainly proved successful in further development of sportsmanship in our students. Hampstead won three and lost four for the season.

Graduation exercises were held for the eighth grade students in June. Through music and essays the class presented a program with the theme of "Hampstead Through the Years."

For the second year parents had an opportunity to visit school one night during American Education Week and observe their children and teachers at work. The program seemed to be enjoyed by all that attended.

The New England Mobile Book Fair again provided parents with an opportunity to purchase outstanding books, the profit from the fair being used to purchase additional library books.

Again this year Central is participating in the Annual National Spelling Bee sponsored by the New Hampshire Sunday News. The schedule is as follows: January-March 10, school champions selected; March 18-April 16, regional champions selected; April 29, State Champion Final Contest; May 28-June 3, National Spelling Bee Week; May 31, opening rounds of the National Contest; June 1, National Championship Finals.

On February 7, 1961, pupils will have an opportunity to hear a delegate from the International Farm Youth Exchange. Miss Elizabeth Robertson will speak and show slides of her trip to France.

In conclusion may I take the opportunity to thank the School Board, the Superintendent, Helping Teacher, supervisors, Nurse-Teacher, office staff, parents and friends, and my teachers for their support in carrying out another successful school year.

Respectfully submitted,

SETH O'SHEA,

Principal

REPORT OF THE REMEDIAL READING TEACHER

The second year of the remedial reading program is well under way and the fruits of our efforts are very worth while.

We know that children who do not learn to read reasonably well in the primary grades are less likely to learn when the diet of carefully controlled and gradually expanded vocabulary of basal readers is discontinued, and they are required to deal with the uncontrolled vocabulary of context area textbooks. Educators have found that specific skills and understandings are required if children are to be helped to be good readers. Through testing I have tried to ascertain what factors have brought about these reading difficulties; to pinpoint the specific reading weaknesses; to plan a course of action for each individual child. Therefore, the pupils are grouped not always according to grades, but rather according to their various reading abilities. Much work is done in word analysis, word meaning according to context, phonetic analysis and dictionary skills.

The following tests have been administered:

1. Stanford Achievement tests
2. Iowa Silent Reading tests
3. Lyons and Carnahan tests
4. Durrell Capacity tests
5. Durrell Analysis
6. Scott Foresman's tests for basic texts

I have found that with my remedial groups, these children have not been able to learn the regular reading skills thoroughly. With the younger children, faults like lip-reading, word-sounding and finger pointing are gradually being eliminated. Every day some reading skills are presented. There is always some oral reading which is a way of checking on the skills.

We realize that most reading problems occur in the primary grades. So we are being especially careful to take into the remedial groups pupils in grades 2, 3 and 4. Thus, we hope to "catch the little difficulties before they become

big ones." The classes run from 20 to 25 minutes, every day. Right now they are broken down as follows:

| | pupils |
|---------------|--------|
| Grade 2 | 4 |
| 3 | 7 |
| 4-5 | 5 |
| 5-6 | 5 |
| 4-6 | 4 |
| | — |
| Total | 25 |

In a relaxed atmosphere of a small group of four, the children are beginning to find out that, while necessary, reading also "can be fun." In these small groups, more attention can be given to the individual child, with the result that more is accomplished than can be done in large classes.

To help to give the children a better foundation in reading for understanding, the Board of Education has purchased the Science Research Associates Kit, "Reading for Understanding." It is a big help now, and will prove invaluable as time goes on. The Ginn and Company set of twenty phonics charts, plus the stand help also. One of our biggest helps is the S. R. A. Reading Accelerator. By using it, I hope to bring many of the children up to a normal reading rate. To supplement these, I have made many of my own devices, such as blend wheels, vowel games, etc.

To vary lesson presentations, I can use the tape recorder, the film projector and the opaque projector. Sometimes I use the Ditto machine when I want certain kinds of work to be written. The basic texts of Ginn and Company, with their work books, and the Reader's Digest Skill Builders are used for oral reading.

In September 1960, remedial reading classes began with an enrollment of thirty-three pupils. During the year, as the pupils are tested and show that they have advanced to, or above, grade level, they are dropped, and others come in for help.

Besides this work in remedial reading, I also teach, every day, two full periods of fifty minutes each, of reading in grade 7 and grade 8. A few seventh graders, who were in the remedial group last year, have progressed normally this year. It is gratifying to see that happen.

We are trying hard to improve reading skills. To the extent that we are successful in doing this, we can open to these pupils the possibilities of self-development which comes from the mastery of the fundamental tool of learning in our civilization.

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLOTTE ZIMMER,
Remedial Reading Teacher

REPORT OF THE NURSE-TEACHER

The School Health Program consists of yearly medical examinations by Dr. Raymond Moore and the Nurse-Teacher, G. A. Banks, R.N.

Grades 1, 3, 5 and 7 and new pupils are examined. Notices of defects are sent home to parents. A successful "follow-up" program has been carried out with the help of parents, clinics, and the School Health Program.

Doctor's Examination

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| Number of pupils to receive medical examinations | 94 |
| Number of pupils with defects | 57 |
| Tonsils | 14 |
| Ear infection and cerumen | 6 |
| Teeth | 32 |
| Orthopedic (feet—posture—scoliosis) | 37 |
| Lungs—bronchitis | 4 |
| Glands—cervical | 1 |

Vollmer Patch Tests to be done in Grades 5 - 8 sometime in 1961.

Clinics attended were:

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|----------------------------|---|
| Child Guidance | 1 |
| Speech | 1 |
| Orthopedic | 1 |
| Sight Conservation program | 1 |
| Heart | 1 |

Classes were held and exercises were sent to parents of children with pronated feet. A special program is being planned through the State Department of Health for parents.

All children receive a Hearing and Vision Test, and Height and Weight.

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| Number of pupils done | 173 |
| Height 171 | Weight 171 |
| Vision — 187, Defects 16 and 16 corrections | |
| Hearing — 173, Defects 6 and 6 corrections | |
| Color perception in Fifth Grade | 31 negative |
| Pre-school children checked for strabismus (cross eyes) | 15 checked — 2 referred |
| Number successfully vaccinated | 32 |

Number of diseases reported to Nurse:

| | | | |
|-----------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Mumps | 1 | Strep throats | 5 |
| Pneumonia | 3 | Scarlet fever | 5 |
| Virus Infection | 3 | Quincy sore throat | 1 |

Cursory examinations are done the beginning of the school year and after each vacation to protect the pupils. This includes inspection of the head (for nits and bugs) — called pediculosis — also the glands, teeth, throat, ears and hands. Done by School Nurse-Teacher.

Skin—ivy poison—1 corrected 1

Defects found:

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|-----------------------|------------------------|
| Teeth 90 corrected 90 | Scalp 4 corrected 4 |
| Posture 1 corrected 1 | Tonsils 15 corrected 4 |
| Speech 1 corrected 1 | |
| Glands — cervical | 1 corrected 1 |

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|------------------------------------|-----|
| Number of visits to school | 55 |
| Total inspections done by nurse | 923 |
| Total first aids rendered by nurse | 38 |
| Cursory examinations | 657 |
| Home visits | 129 |

(For sickness, referrals, "follow-up" work, conferences or guidance when requested.)

Audio-visual program and Health Talks in class rooms at teacher's request are part of the nurse's work. These are on Nutrition, Posture, Pronated Feet, Vision, Hearing, Teeth, Clothing (according to the seasons), Sleep Habits, Personal Hygiene, Cleanliness in classrooms, corridors, and lavatories — drinking fountain, etc.

Pre-school registration, Clinics, Parent and Teacher and Principal and Nurse Conferences also Principal and Nurse and Teacher and Nurse Conferences.

Nurse-teacher is in Hampstead on Thursday and available at Pollard School office between 8:30 and 9:00 A.M. week days. The Nurse may also be contacted through the Superintendent's office in emergencies.

It would be most helpful if parents would report to school any sickness or reason for absence of a child. Report to the school and the nurse all contagious and communicable diseases. It is noted that some dentists do not believe in corrections of first teeth, however, notices to the parents of defects found on the Health or Medical examinations are to acquaint the parent with what the doctor or nurse have found and not in any way a complaint. It is to help the children. Noted also is the belief that corrections for posture and postural difficulties and flat and pronated feet are best done by exercises.

GWENDOLYN A. BANKS, R.N.

School Nurse-Teacher

REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

The aim of the music program in the Hampstead schools is to bring musical enjoyment and understanding to each individual. Singing is the most important activity as well as the most solidifying force in developing unity of purpose and expression of brotherhood in the elementary school. Therefore, singing is the main emphasis in the music program. Other activities used in accomplishing the musical aim are listening, creating, performing, music reading and rhythmic work.

The primary grades spent the majority of the music time this year in singing, moving to music, and acting out the stories of the songs they sang. A great deal of tone drill and devices were used to aid the first, second and third grade children having difficulty in finding their high pitched voice.

In grades four, five and six, the major portion of music time was given to songs that required the children's recognition and application of note values, symbols, syllables, and rhythm. Unison and two-part songs were employed as well as rounds and canons.

In addition to studying some of the same activities as the intermediate grades, the junior high worked on the following units: Key signature and time signature review; Bach vs. Bop; writing a song; instruments of the orchestra; piano keyboard recognition; Johannes Brahms, Hungarian Dance; Edward MacDowell, How Music Grew (Indian Music), etc.

The Hampstead Chorus prepared musical selections for the 1960 Parent-Teacher Christmas meeting. The chorus also sang at the school Christmas program. All grades participated in this program by rendering songs and musical playlets. The program concluded with the entire school singing Silent Night.

It is hoped that out of the various musical activities presented the students not only have advanced in musical

skills and understanding, but so thoroughly enjoyed the activity that their interest and appreciation of all kinds of music has increased and will continue to increase all their lives.

Respectfully submitted,

EVAN R. WILLIAMS,
Music Supervisor

SCHOOL CALENDAR

1960 - 1961

Principals' Meeting, Thursday, September 1
Teachers' Meeting, Tuesday, September 6
Fall Term Begins, Wednesday, September 7
Fall Term Closes, Friday, December 23 (full day)
Winter Term Begins, Tuesday, January 3
Winter Term Closes, Friday, February 17
Mid-Winter Term Begins, Monday, February 27
Mid-Winter Term Closes, Friday, April 21
Spring Term Begins, Monday, May 1
Spring Term Closes, On or about June 19
Teachers dismissed, One day after schools close

This closing date allows for 3 days closed due to inclement weather, but this will vary according to holidays observed in each town.

HOLIDAYS

Teachers' Convention, Friday, October 21
Veterans' Day, Friday, November 11
Thanksgiving Recess, Wednesday, November 23 at noon,
November 24 and 25
Good Friday, March 31
Memorial Day, Tuesday, May 30

Starting in September, 1960, there will be no days credited for professional improvement. The new state law requires 180 days of actual school attendance.

ENROLLMENT IN HIGH SCHOOLS

The following tabulation shows the number of high school pupils, by grades, attending various schools, and their respective tuition rates:

| Grades | Sanborn Seminary | Haverhill Trade | Hood Memorial Jr. | Pinkerton Academy |
|---------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 9 | 0 | 1 | 14 | 0 |
| 10 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 18 |
| 11 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 18 |
| 12 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7 |
| TOTALS | 1 | 3 | 14 | 43 |
| RATES | \$400 | \$375 | \$ | \$375 |

ENROLLMENT IN GRADE SCHOOLS

The following tabulation shows the enrollment in the Central School with grade assignments as of September 20, 1960.

| Teacher | Grade | No. of Pupils | Total |
|-------------------------|--------------|----------------------|--------------|
| Patricia McCarthy | 1 | 22 | 22 |
| Ann Johnson | 2 | 30 | 30 |
| Ethel Scott | 3 | 26 | 26 |
| Sandra Jameson | 4 | 17 | |
| | 5 | 13 | 30 |
| Peter Teloian | 5 | 8 | |
| | 6 | 24 | 32 |
| Frances Hoyt | 7 | 18 | 18 |
| Seth O'Shea | 8 | 24 | 24 |
| TOTAL ENROLLMENT | | | 182 |

SUMMARY OF CENSUS FIGURES

| Age Groups | 1957 | 1958 | 1959 | 1960 |
|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Less than 1 yr. | 21 | 23 | 37 | 27 |
| 1 | 19 | 18 | 25 | 30 |
| 2 | 13 | 17 | 21 | 31 |
| 3 | 21 | 12 | 22 | 26 |
| 4 | 19 | 22 | 17 | 23 |
| 5 | 18 | 17 | 24 | 23 |
| 6 | 11 | 19 | 20 | 24 |
| 7 | 14 | 12 | 21 | 34 |
| 8 | 17 | 10 | 13 | 24 |
| 9 | 21 | 16 | 12 | 18 |
| 10 | 26 | 20 | 19 | 17 |
| 11 | 17 | 26 | 20 | 20 |
| 12 | 20 | 13 | 29 | 21 |
| 13 | 16 | 19 | 14 | 26 |
| 14 | 14 | 15 | 17 | 14 |
| 15 | 12 | 13 | 16 | 16 |
| 16 | 21 | 12 | 11 | 14 |
| 17 | 6 | 19 | 13 | 12 |
| 18 | 3 | 5 | 17 | 8 |
| TOTALS | <hr/> 309 | <hr/> 309 | <hr/> 368 | <hr/> 408 |

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, and DEATHS

Registered in the

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, N. H.

For the Year Ending

DECEMBER 31, 1960

Births Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

| Date of Birth 1960 | Place of Birth | Name of Child | Sex & C | | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother | Birthplace of Father | Birthplace of Mother |
|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | Male or Female | Living or Stillborn | | | | |
| Jan. 1 | Lawrence, Mass. | Kimberly S. Caithness | F | L | W | Herbert C. Caithness | Canada | Canada |
| Jan. 27 | E. Derry, N.H. | Merlin R. L. Johnson | M | L | W | Ralph E. Johnson | E. Hampstead, N.H. | Sherman Mills, Me. |
| Jan. 31 | E. Derry, N.H. | Pamela J. Earle | F | L | W | Clyde C. Earle | Lynnfield, Mass. | E. Derry, N.H. |
| Feb. 10 | Haverhill, Mass. | Anne E. Fenton | F | L | W | James B. Fenton | Boston, Mass. | Boston, Mass. |
| Feb. 12 | Haverhill, Mass. | Dixanne L. Haggatt | F | L | W | Richard Haggatt | Boston, Mass. | Medford, Mass. |
| Mar. 20 | Haverhill, Mass. | William P. Pfaff | M | L | W | Richard J. Pfaff | Plainfield, N.J. | Plainfield, N.J. |
| Apr. 4 | E. Derry, N.H. | Matthew H. Albee | M | L | W | Colin D. Albee | Canada | Providence, R.I. |
| Apr. 5 | Haverhill, Mass. | Edwin D. Blaine | M | L | W | Henry S. Blaine | Leheighton, Pa. | Hampstead, N.H. |
| Apr. 25 | Haverhill, Mass. | Roger A. Cooke | M | L | W | Warren S. Cooke | Medford, Mass. | McLean, Ill. |
| May 2 | Methuen, Mass. | Steven P. Costello | M | L | W | Joseph W. Costello | Haverhill, Mass. | West Paris, Me. |
| May 21 | E. Derry, N.H. | Kevan G. Fitts | M | L | W | Glenn K. Fitts | Haverhill, Mass. | Haverhill, Mass. |
| May 30 | Haverhill, Mass. | Catherine N. Gates | F | L | W | Floyd A. Gates | Haverhill, Mass. | Bay Shore, L.I., N.Y. |
| June 14 | E. Derry, N.H. | David A. Cross | M | L | W | David H. Cross | Somerville, Mass. | Hampstead, N.H. |
| June 21 | Lawrence, Mass. | Darlene E. Hapgood | F | L | W | Dana W. Hapgood | Newton, Mass. | Waltham, Mass. |
| June 21 | Salem, Mass. | Tammy L. Randall | F | L | W | Maurice I. Randall | Haverhill, Mass. | Belfast, Me. |
| June 24 | E. Derry, N.H. | Patricia M. Ordway | F | L | W | Roger C. Ordway | Exeter, N.H. | Hampstead, N.H. |
| July 5 | Manchester, N.H. | Lynne A. Southwick | F | L | W | James A. Southwick | Lynn, Mass. | Lynn, Mass. |
| July 21 | E. Derry, N.H. | James B. Knox | M | L | W | Robert F. Knox | New Jersey | Lawrence, Mass. |
| Aug. 27 | E. Derry, N.H. | Hope L. Simard | F | L | W | Joseph R. Simard | Andover, Mass. | Andover, Mass. |
| Sept. 1 | E. Derry, N.H. | Everett G. Martin | M | L | W | Everett G. Martin | Danville, N.H. | Hampstead, N.H. |
| Sept. 8 | Haverhill, Mass. | Lori A. Gill | F | L | W | Walter J. Gill | Altoona, Pa. | Boston, Mass. |
| Sept. 13 | Haverhill, Mass. | William O. Hutchins | M | L | W | Neil F. Hutchins | Exeter, N.H. | Rochester, N.H. |
| Sept. 17 | E. Derry, N.H. | Michael L. Morin | M | L | W | Francis T. Morin | Winchester, Mass. | Malden, Mass. |
| Sept. 30 | Haverhill, Mass. | Heather M. White | F | L | W | Earl H. White | Haverhill, Mass. | Haverhill, Mass. |
| Oct. 9 | E. Derry, N.H. | Mary A. Munyon | F | L | W | Francis M. Munyon | Cambridge, Mass. | Atkinson, N.H. |
| Oct. 13 | Lawrence, Mass. | Bonnie A. Craig | F | L | W | Edward Craig, Jr. | Boston, Mass. | Boston, Mass. |
| Oct. 22 | Haverhill, Mass. | Stephen E. Clark | M | L | W | Norman R. Clark | W. Hampst'd, N.H. | Hartford, Conn. |
| Nov. 30 | Haverhill, Mass. | Keith A. Lavoie | M | L | W | Gerald A. Lavoie | Methuen, Mass. | Methuen, Mass. |
| Dec. 4 | E. Derry, N.H. | Julie M. Lamb | F | L | W | Raymond A. Lamb | Carlisle, Iowa | Knoxville, Iowa |
| Dec. 13 | Haverhill, Mass. | Joanne Ritchie | F | L | W | Robert J. Ritchie | Melrose, Mass. | Methuen, Mass. |
| Dec. 31 | Haverhill, Mass. | Jeffrey Letaile | M | L | W | Robert Letaile | Manchester, N.H. | Haverhill, Mass. |
| | | Judith S. Noel | F | L | W | Ernest R. Noel | Haverhill, Mass. | Boston, Mass. |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES A. BROOKS, Town Clerk.

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

| Date 1960 | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of each at Time of Marriage | Age of each | Occupation of Groom and Bride | Place of Birth of Each | Names of Parents | Condition | Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married |
|--------------|----------------------|--|--|-------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|---|-----------|--|
| Jan. 8 | Sandown, N. H. | Edward A. Tremblay | Sandown, N. H. | 22 w | USMC | New Hampshire | Charles P. Tremblay Florence E. Kelley | 1 | Ernest C. Pillsbury Justice of Peace |
| | | Beverly A. Pomeroy | Hampstead, N. H. | 18 w | At Home | New Jersey | Allen F. Pomeroy Mildred T. Hanson | 1 | Sandown, N. H. |
| Jan. 23 | Hampstead, N. H. | Harold Merryfield | Dorchester, Mass. | 56 w | Chauffeur | Porter, Maine | Everett Merryfield Emma I. Nickols | 2 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace |
| | | Lillian E. Gagnon | Dorchester, Mass. | 55 w | Housekeeper | Woburn, Mass. | Frederick H. Greenwood Mary A. Carpenter | 2 | Hampstead, N. H. |
| Feb. 14 | Hampstead, N. H. | Sidney Lipman | Hampstead, N. H. | 43 w | Merchant | Boston, Mass. | Samuel Lipman Esther Cohen | 2 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace |
| | | Mary P. Eminian | Watertown, Mass. | 38 w | Hairdresser | Worcester, Mass. | Alexander J. Eminian Pepron Marian | 1 | Hampstead, N. H. |
| Apr. 16 | Hampstead, N. H. | Daniel H. Lucy, Jr. | Somerville, Mass. | 27 w | Mill Hand | Cambridge, Mass. | Daniel H. Lucy Marie R. O'Brien | 1 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace |
| | | Concetta J. DeLuca | Revere, Mass. | 26 w | At Home | Boston, Mass. | Enrico DeLuca Italia Cassiani | 1 | Hampstead, N. H. |
| Apr. 30 | Hampstead, N. H. | David E. Coyle | Quincy, Mass. | 24 w | Carpenter | Boston, Mass. | Alexander E. Coyle Margaret Know | 1 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace |
| | | Priscilla M. Grondin | Weymouth, Mass. | 18 w | Factory Worker | Boston, Mass. | Abut A. Grondin Anna M. Sullivan | 1 | Hampstead, N. H. |
| May 6 | Hampstead, N. H. | Stanton H. Proper | Boston, Mass. | 32 w | Restaurant Mgr. | Melrose, Mass. | Argyle P. Proper Florence E. Hall | 2 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace |
| | | Elizabeth A. Cole | Boston, Mass. | 25 w | Clerk | Waterville, Maine | Kenneth R. Cole Mildred I. Ricker | 1 | Hampstead, N. H. |

† Widowed ‡ Divorced

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

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|--------------|------------------------|--|--|----------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------|--|
| | | | | | | | | | |
| May | 7 Hampstead, N. H. | Raymond R. Britton | Haverhill, Mass. | 33 w | Cutter | Haverhill, Mass. | George M. Britton | 2 | Charles A. Brooks |
| | | Clara L. Huberdeau | Haverhill, Mass. | 23 w | Shoe Shop | Lynn, Mass. | Elizabeth Lagasse Ellis Arnold | 1 | Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| | | Robert W. Roy | Gloucester, Mass. | 37 w | Chauffeur | Boston, Mass. | Charlotte Savage | 2 | Charles A. Brooks |
| May | 14 Hampstead, N. H. | Kendra A. Smallidge | Gloucester, Mass. | 23 w | At Home | Middleboro, Mass. | Arnos Roy Alice E. Carroll | 2 | Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| May | 21 Hampstead, N. H. | Clement A. Bonvie | Boston, Mass. | 59 w | Cook | Hyde Park, Mass. | Raymond F. Meise Evelyn B. Wright | 1 | Charles A. Brooks |
| | | Bertha Cocker | Boston, Mass. | 61 w | Housekeeper | England | Joseph Bonvie Ellie McNeill | 2 | Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| | | Neil S. Morgan | Hampstead, N. H. | 19 w | USAF | Somerville, Mass. | Frank Jackson Sarah J. Taylor | 1 | Rev. Theodore B. Hadley |
| May | 21 Hampstead, N. H. | Wanda E. Ordway | Hampstead, N. H. | 18 w | At Home | Brentwood, N. H. | Norman R. Morgan Nada B. Kennedy | 1 | Congregational Minister Hampstead, N. H. |
| May | 25 Hampstead, N. H. | Paul C. Shurtleff | Manchester, N. H. | 17 w | Shoe Worker | Rochester, N. H. | Alice E. George Russell T. Shurtleff | 1 | Charles A. Brooks |
| | | Linda L. Lewis | Hampstead, N. H. | 15 w | Student | Derry, N. H. | Catherine Leonard Leslie W. Lewis | 1 | Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| | | Ernest W. Greenlaw | Haverhill, Mass. | 57 w | Paper Maker | Haverhill, Mass. | Barbara Smith William C. Greenlaw | 2 | Charles A. Brooks |
| May | 28 Hampstead, N. H. | Mildred R. Perkins | Merrimac, Mass. | 63 w | Bench Work | Haverhill, Mass. | Bertha I. Bishop Frank W. Poor | 2 | Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| June | 18 Hampstead, N. H. | Robert E. Middleton | Haverhill, Mass. | 30 w | Shoe Worker | Haverhill, Mass. | Julia F. Webster Edward F. Middleton, Jr. | 2 | Charles A. Brooks |
| | | Loreno P. Jewett | Haverhill, Mass. | 19 w | Clerk | Exeter, N. H. | Henrietta D. White Robert E. Jewett | 1 | Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| | | | | | | | Pearl F. Kierstead | | |

Marriages Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

| Date 1960 | Place of Marriage | Name and Surname of Groom and Bride | Residence of each at Time of Marriage | Age of Each | Occupation of Groom and Bride | Place of Birth of Each | Names of Parents | Condition | Name, Residence and Official Station of Persons by whom Married |
|--------------|----------------------|---|--|----------------|-------------------------------------|---|---|-----------|--|
| June 18 | Hampstead, N. H. | Stanley M. Lapham Gail J. Clark | E. Hampstead, N. H. Hampstead, N. H. | 25 w 21 w | Test Technician Secretary | Boston, Mass. Derry, N. H. | George M. Lapham Elsie M. Chuttick Walter F. Clark, Jr. A. Jayne Eastman | 1 1 | Rev. Theodore B. Hadley Congregational Minister Hampstead, N. H. |
| July 3 | Hampstead, N. H. | Clayton H. Hatch Grace A. McKenney | Haverhill, Mass. Haverhill, Mass. | 30 w 23 w | Shoe Worker Cair Sander | Manchester, N. H. Ossipee, N. H. | Woodbury H. Hatch Isabel G. Foss Morris F. McKenney Martha L. Hartford | 2 2 | Rev. Theodore B. Hadley Congregational Minister Hampstead, N. H. |
| July 10 | Hampstead, N. H. | William W. Medley Dorothy Allen | Haverhill, Mass. W. Newton, Mass. | 22 c 20 c | Mechanics Welder Electronics | Haverhill, Mass. Baltimore, Md. | Virginia Marble Alvin V. Allen Jeanette J. Holmes Matthew Insogna | 1 1 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| Aug. 20 | Hampstead, N. H. | Edward W. Insogna Lillian M. Merlino | Hampstead, N. H. Hampstead, N. H. | 21 w 18 w | Laborer Secretary | Boston, Mass. Malden, Mass. | Rose Elibero Joseph Merlino Lillian Leverty | 1 1 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| Oct. 15 | Hampstead, N. H. | Stavros I. Politis Marion R. Goss | Saugus, Mass. Saugus, Mass. | 26 w 35 w | Student Sales Clerk | Athens, Greece Morristown, S. D. | Ioannis D. Politis Efthimia Inpartsofas Erve W. Corbit Maude Lumsden | 1 2 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| Nov. 6 | Hampstead, N. H. | Eugene F. Burnett Eleanor J. Innis | Malden, Mass. Danvers, Mass. | 21 w 21 w | Shipper Attendant Nurse | Somerville, Mass. Peabody, Mass. | Walter H. Burnett Anna T. Szczul Catherine M. Dunn Antonio Todisco | 1 1 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |
| Dec. 11 | Hampstead, N. H. | Armand T. Todisco Lorraine E. Kern | Lynn, Mass. Malden, Mass. | 32 w 28 w | Rubber Mill Mgr. Housewife | Boston, Mass. Copley, Pa. | Antonetta Guarino George C. Kern Mae Truayua | 2 2 | Charles A. Brooks Justice of Peace Hampstead, N. H. |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHARLES A. BROOKS, Town Clerk.

Deaths Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H. for the Year Ending December 31, 1960

| Date of Death | Place of Death | Name and Surname of the Deceased | Age | Month | Day | Occupation | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|-----|-------|-----|-------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Jan. 2 | Epping, N.H. | George A. Tobine | 77 | | | Retired Merchant | Joseph A. Frost | Unknown |
| Jan. 3 | Derry, N.H. | Joseph R. Frost | 84 | 5 | 1 | Florist | Frank A. Leith | Hannah Walsh |
| Jan. 6 | Haverhill, Mass. | Frank A. Leith | 64 | | | Housekeeper | Frederick J. Franklyn | Eleanor Giles |
| Jan. 16 | Brentwood, N.H. | Edith K. Franklyn | 84 | | | Housewife | Frank Decie | Mary Greene |
| Jan. 21 | E. Derry, N.H. | Madeline D. Harvey | 59 | | | Salesman | David Bickford | Anna Lyons |
| Feb. 18 | Candia, N.H. | Harry D. Bickford | 59 | | | Watchman | John Catter | Unable to learn |
| Mar. 5 | E. Hampstead, N.H. | Richard J. Catter | 87 | 28 | | Retired Contractor | Henry Southwick | Jennie Jones |
| Mar. 9 | Lynn, Mass. | John L. Southwick, Sr. | 79 | | | Tax Coll. & Ins. Agent | Oliver Putnam | Mary Mooers |
| Mar. 20 | E. Hampstead, N.H. | Thorndyke Putnam | 77 | 5 | 27 | Dental Secretary | Daniel I. McNamee | Margaret A. Mills |
| Mar. 26 | Haverhill, Mass. | John H. Wagner | 66 | | | Own Home | Allan Stevenson | Rose Hoxie |
| Apr. 14 | E. Hampstead, N.H. | Ada M. McNamee | 75 | 10 | 21 | At Home | Arthur Dodge | Not known |
| Apr. 23 | Hampstead, N.H. | Ethel S. Clark | 69 | 10 | 21 | | | |
| Apr. 29 | Hampstead, N.H. | Josie I. Wilkes | 87 | 11 | 0 | | | |
| June 18 | Somerville, Mass. | Gilman L. Buckland | 64 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| June 21 | Lawrence, Mass. | Infant Hapgood | | | | Student | Dana W. Hapgood | Dorothea Clark |
| July 10 | Hampstead, N.H. | George Cormier | 71 | | | Sta. Eng'r., Crane Op. | George Cormier | Julia Spiridione |
| July 30 | Hampstead, N.H. | George A. Dean | 71 | 3 | 19 | | Albert Dean | Ann C. Crockett |
| July 31 | Haverhill, Mass. | Clarence H. George | 69 | | | Housework | Thomas Grady | Winifred Craven |
| Aug. 8 | Hampstead, N.H. | Alice M. Maddix | 68 | | | Housewife | Orlando Tenney | Emogene Fitts |
| Aug. 21 | E. Hampstead, N.H. | Bertha L. Follansbee | 79 | | | Supt. Banking Room | John Low | Susan E. Salter |
| Aug. 25 | Haverhill, Mass. | Richard S. Low | 69 | 10 | 21 | Store Keeper | James Gates | Agnes Woodard |
| Sept. 1 | Manchester, N.H. | Percy Gates | 64 | | | Supt. Construction | Charles W. Bailey | Ruth Duston |
| Oct. 2 | E. Derry, N.H. | Fred O. Bailey | 72 | | | Dept. Chief, W. El. Co. | George Sunanday | Ellen Frymyer |
| Oct. 19 | W. Hampstead, N.H. | Harry F. Sunanday | 57 | | | Architect and Eng. | Horace Brown | Ada Alexander |
| Oct. 22 | Hampstead, N.H. | Elmer E. Brown | 77 | | | Locomotive Engineer | (Unknown) Hill | Cannot be learned |
| Nov. 7 | Haverhill, Mass. | Harold J. Hill | 65 | 5 | 6 | Potato Chip Mfr. | William Croft | Mary Bentley |
| Dec. 2 | E. Hampstead, N.H. | William J. Croft | 71 | 10 | 19 | Postmaster | Robert L. Letoile | Dorothy A. Mansur |
| Dec. 18 | Haverhill, Mass. | Jeffrey Letoile | | | 5 | Housewife | Hal Bowden | Ada McCarthy |
| Dec. 21 | Manchester, N.H. | Chalmers E. Bowden | 62 | | | | Franklin Shaw | Mary |
| Dec. 26 | E. Derry, N.H. | Grace S. Johnson | 77 | | | | | |

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief. CHARLES A. BROOKS, Town Clerk.

In Memoriam

To

HARRY SUNANDAY

an honored citizen, a civic leader, and a true friend, who passed away on October 19, 1960.

May we ask the Great Provider, on evaluation day, to consider his noble deeds, so that he may be justly rewarded in the hereafter.

EMERGENCY CALLS

Fire

Call DAVis 9-6942
or Call Operator

Be sure to state location of fire
Tell operator you want the Hampstead Department



POLICE

Call Chief Clark, DAVis 9-6361
or Call Operator

State business briefly



DOCTOR

Call Dr. Moore, DAVis 9-6911



If in need of a RESUSCITATOR for

DROWNING
SMOKE INHALATION
ASPHYXIATION

Call Fire Dept. DAVis 9-6942
and Dr. Moore DAVis 9-6911

Be Calm



CIVIL DEFENSE CALLS

ALERT — Steady blast of siren for 3 to 5 minutes.

TAKE COVER — Wailing tone of siren for 3 minutes.

ALL CLEAR — Five 30 second blasts 2 minutes apart.



NO FIRE SHALL BE LIT IN THE OPEN
without a permit

Issued by: Fire Warden Levi Duston, or Deputy Wardens
Arthur Johnston, Frank Howard, Roland True, Lester Remick,
Kenneth Duston or Gene Duston.

PLAY SAFE AND USE THE TOWN DUMP

Dump open
Wednesdays 8-4:30 P.M.
Saturdays 8-4:30 P.M.
Sundays 9-12 Noon

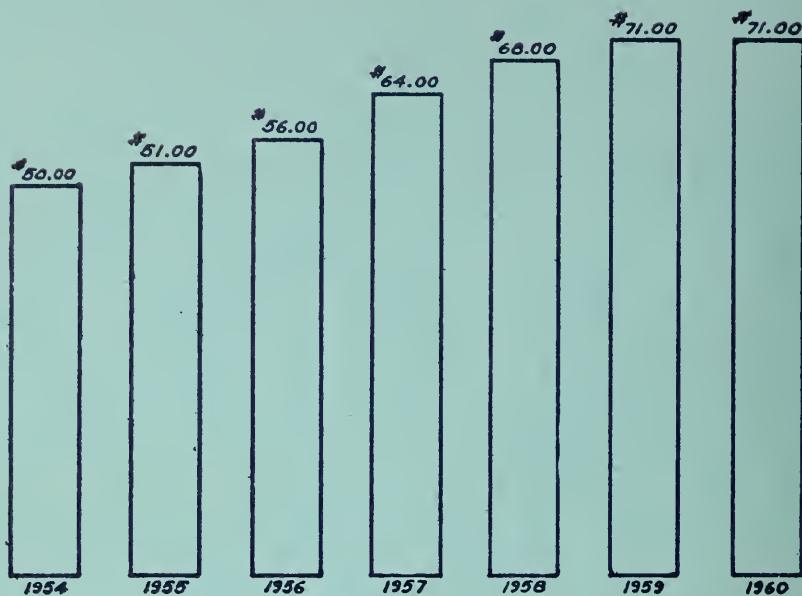
WHERE THE TOWN DOLLAR GOES



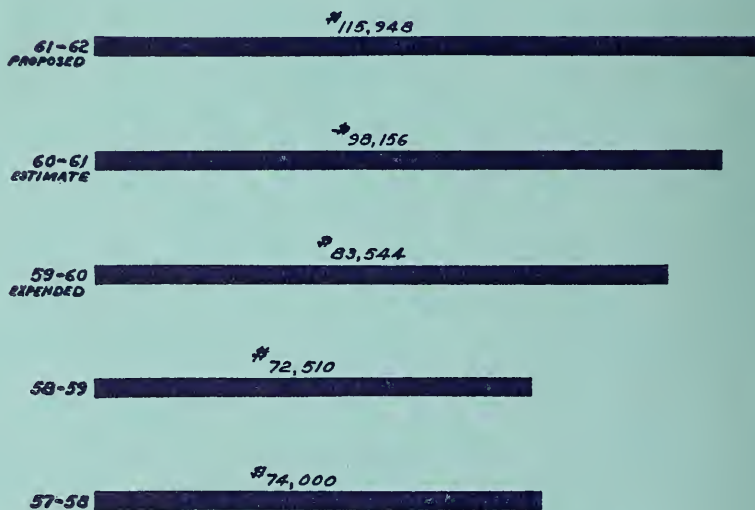
- PROPOSED FOR 1961 NOT INCLUDING SPECIAL ARTICLES-

ALL GRAPHS AND CHARTS ARE APPROXIMATE - HAMPSTEAD PLANNING BOARD

TAX RATE PER \$1,000



COST OF SCHOOLS 1957-1962



-NOT INCLUDING SPECIAL ARTICLES-

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